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THE REVIVAL

Has Awakened Great Interest in Louisa.

Rev. Holcomb's Union Meeting Attended by Large Crowds and Good Results.

The center of interest—the storm center, one might say—for Louisa and the country round about this week is the series of evangelistic meetings being held in the court house in this city. These meetings were duly heralded by the press and the preachers of Louisa many days before they began, and all possible publicity was given to the fact that the meetings would be interdenominational, non-sectarian and union.

This broad publicity and the broad, Christian spirit thus evidenced have borne abundant fruit. Never in the history of Louisa have such crowds of people attended a religious meeting. Never in the history of our people has there been shown such a hearty spirit of Christian fellowship, and never, within the recollection of our people, have revival meetings in the city of Louisa been conducted so earnestly, so intelligently and with such a manifestation of such fraternal love and regard on the part of every denomination within our borders. As was said by one of old regarding another matter,

"Prophets and kings desired it long But died without the sight."

These wonderful meetings are conducted by him who held that series of services which so profoundly stirred the people of Paintsville and vicinity, the Rev. Walt Holcomb, of Nashville, Tenn. The NEWS is not sure that "conducted" is exactly the word to be used in this connection; something stronger is needed. It is perhaps better to say conducted, led, directed, guided, governed, dominated, and if possible coin a word made up of all these expressions, for he is the what shall we say—the whole thing? No! For while Mr. Holcomb does and is the many things indicated in these lines it is very evident that the Holy Spirit and the hand of God are at work to make these mighty meetings the best this county has ever known.

Mr. Holcomb's first meeting was held on last Sunday morning. The court house, with its many added seats was filled to its utmost capacity, and let us say here that every night meeting has shown added interest, and the people are packed till no more can possibly gain entrance, and the vestibule and stairway have been full, at times to the front doors.

The evangelist's first sermon was based upon the exhortation of Paul to his people to forget the things which are behind, and to go forward. No more appropriate words could have been selected, and no more appropriate sermon could have been preached at the initial service of a revival meeting. And so it has continued: Appeals to do something and to be something; indicating what are signs of a coming revival; the full meaning of the vine, the branches and the husbandman; help in bearing burdens; sin is sin, no matter where committed, whether in a parlor or in the back room of a dive; kinds of backsliding—all these things have been presented to deeply interested audiences in a most interesting, novel and, let us hope, convincing way. In fact the argument and appeal of the preacher have already borne their fruit. Very many have publicly made avowal of their faith, and each day, each meeting, shows a deeper interest, and unless all signs fail Louisa is to be visited by a great and gracious revival.

There is great interest shown by our people. Services are held twice each day in the court house, and two prayer meetings daily, one for women, held at private houses, and one for men, held at various places. The public school and the college attend the morning service, and all classes of people seem imbued with the spirit of the occasion.

Mr. Holcomb is most admirably

adapted to his great work. He has intelligence, education, tact, knack, inspiration, fervor and the spirit of God to aid him in his efforts for the redemption and salvation of men. He is a fine judge of mankind and a quick perception of the situation, and he uses this rare gift with much effectiveness. He has a magnificent voice, resonant and far-reaching, and he uses it most attractively. He is a master of wooing appeal, of withering sarcasm, of bitter irony and scathing invective. With such tools as these, backed and upheld by a noble sincerity of purpose, it is not strange that Mr. Holcomb is a power for good in his great work.

The music at the revival service is a very attractive feature. It is furnished mainly by a large union choir of mixed voices, aided by a piano, violin and cornet. The singing is directed by Mr. Ragsdale, of Louisville. His method of conducting was new to many of us, but it is most effective. He is a trained conductor and knows just how to produce the best results.

The NEWS goes to press at an hour which prevents publishing anything of Thursday's meetings. It can only say now that you should lay aside your work and attend this wonderful meeting.

Students' Special Service.

Friday afternoon at 2:30 students from the college will meet with the congregation at the court house. Preaching by Rev. Holcomb. No prayer meetings at this hour. Everybody invited.

Saturday at 10 o'clock students will meet again with the congregation. This meeting is not restricted to the students, but everybody is welcome.

No services Saturday afternoon, but the usual services will be held at night.

Special Sunday Meetings.

Sunday afternoon a great meeting for men is to be held at the court house at 2:30 and will be addressed by Rev. Holcomb.

At the same hour the women's meeting will be held at the M. E. Church.

NO SCHOOL MONEY.

Teachers May Not Get Balance Now Due Until July.

While in Frankfort a few days ago Supt. O'Daniel, of this county, called on the State Treasurer and inquired as to when he might expect the money that was due the teachers February 12th. The Treasurer said he could give no assurance of payment before July 1st, as all taxes have been paid in to the State. The next collection will be from the banks, whose taxes will be due June 30th.

The question arises as to what the officials at Frankfort have done with the school money. They certainly had it in the Treasury, as this is a separate fund set aside for this purpose alone. The general supposition is that they have used the teachers' money to pay the salaries of Legislators and other expenses of the State. Under the law they are now allowed to do this, but it is very probable the school funds have been "borrowed" for other purposes. If the teachers are forced to wait until July it will be the first time such a thing has been done in this State, at least for many years, and it is hoped there will not be a repetition of the deed for a great many years.

Mayo for Governor.

In naming gubernatorial timber in Eastern Kentucky, the East Kentucky Citizen, published at Morehead, has this to say of John C. C. Mayo, of Paintsville:

"Mayo is the wizard of finance who touched the Big Sandy valley with the wand of his genius, and ere long the scream of the locomotive was heard from Catlettsburg to the breaks of the Cumberland, waking the sleeping echoes of the ages, which but for his efforts would doubtless be sleeping still. He would make a Governor that would go down in history as one of Kentucky's greatest."

Narrow Escape From Big Blaze.

A fire which might have destroyed much property, and possibly human life, occurred in this city early on last Friday evening. Will Sullivan was a guest at Mrs. Hannah Lackey's at dinner and the children were enjoying themselves at the nickelodeon, thus leaving Mrs. Sullivan alone in their home on upper Main street.

About seven o'clock she heard what she thought was the crackling made by striking a match. She looked for the cause of the noise, but not finding it she went back to her room. Presently she heard the noise again and made another search. She opened a closet or clothes room in the sitting room, and a big volume of flames and smoke poured out. Everything in the closet was ablaze, and the smoke was stifling. Running to the door she gave the alarm and then went back to rescue as much as possible from the flames.

The alarm aroused the neighbors and some passers-by, and these, some with buckets, hastened to aid as much as possible. Col. Jay H. Northrup was passing when the alarm was made, and he hurried into the house. Mrs. Sullivan was all but overcome with shock and smoke, and the Colonel's first work was to carry her to the outside. Mrs. Sullivan's hands and arms were burned, but she was able to attend to her duties as teacher at the public school on the following Monday; not, however, until a dress could be made for the occasion, most of her clothing having been burned. The children saved what they had on, the fire having consumed the remainder. A large trunk filled with clothing was also burned. The fire was rapidly eating its way through the building when the bucket brigade appeared and stayed its progress.

Fortunately the contents of the house were fully covered by insurance, and aside from the inconvenience resulting from the fire Mr. Sullivan will suffer no loss.

Although diligent search for it has been made the cause of the fire remains a mystery. In one pocket of a coat of Chris. Sullivan's which was hanging in the closet where the fire occurred were some matches, and it is thought, and with reason, that some mice had crawled into this pocket and knawed the phosphorous end of the matches and in this way set them on fire. The crackling was made by the burning of a poplar shelf.

Wedding Anniversary Celebrated.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Riffe, of Bolts Fork, celebrated their fortieth wedding anniversary Sunday, March 13, 1910. Almost fifty guests, including children and grand-children, were present on this memorable occasion and partook of the elegant dinner. Everything the season affords was spread before the guests and they certainly did ample justice to these good things.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. John Hazlett, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Ross, Mr. and Mrs. John Stanley, Mrs. Linzy Webb, Mr. and Mrs. Green Bolt, Mrs. Lewis Fannin, Mrs. G. W. French, Mrs. Lon Ross, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McGlothlin and children, Hampton and Roy, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Riffe and daughter, Madge, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Rucker and children, Harold, Elzema and Mildred, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Chaffin and son, John Glenden, Joe Webb, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hazlett and son, Carico, and Miss Ruby Queen.

The children were Mrs. Will Fannin and son, Emery, of Lawrence county, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Higgins and daughter, Miss Bertha, and son, of West Virginia, Mr. and Mrs. Estell Riffe and son, Homer, Laura Riffe, Margie Houser and Wilbur Riffe.

The warm spring sunshine made everyone feel happy, and as the host and hostess are widely known for their hospitality the guests could not help enjoying themselves. As they began to take their departure for their respective homes, each one expressed himself as having spent a very, very pleasant day and sorry to have to part so soon.

May the Lord bless those old people and may they live to celebrate their golden wedding.

A FRIEND.

J. R. Gartin and Dock Jordan left Monday for Hot Springs, Ark., to visit other olnts in the West.

SUDDENLY

The Final Summons Comes to Two Citizens.

John J. Meek and Douglass E. Hughes Unexpectedly Called by the Death Angel.

The NEWS is again called upon to chronicle the death of one of Lawrence county's good men and citizens. John Meek, who lived about three miles from this city, on the Busseyville road, died very suddenly at his home on last Saturday night. He had been in town during the day, in apparent perfect health, attending to his customary Saturday trading. Upon his return to his home he went about the usual business of the farm, feeding his stock and preparing for the night. He took a bath and ate his supper and read and chatted with his wife until about half-past nine when they retired. It was nearly eleven o'clock when Mrs. Meek was awakened by the heavy breathing and the struggles of her husband. She did all she could to help him, but he died in a very few minutes.

The burial occurred on Monday, interment being made in the graveyard across the county road and adjoining the land of the late Wade Muncy. The funeral service was conducted by the Rev. H. B. Hewlett, of the M. E. Church South, and was largely attended. Ed. Meek, a brother who lives on Tug river, just below the Martin county line, was present at the obsequies. The only daughter, of the deceased, Mrs. Okey Vaughan, was present, but it was impossible to get the news of the death to Mr. Vaughan in time for him to attend the funeral, as he was in Tennessee, some distance from a railroad or telegraph office. Mr. Meek left a widow and one child—Mrs. Vaughan—to mourn the loss of the husband and father. He was about 57 years of age.

John Meek was well known in Louisa and Lawrence county. He was in all respects a good citizen. He was honest, sober and industrious, a devoted husband, an affectionate father, a good neighbor, a Christian citizen. Such men are the backbone of a community, and when they are cut down in the prime of a busy, honorable life they are missed very much and the gap they leave is hard to fill.

D. E. Hughes Dies Suddenly.

The friends and relatives of D. E. ("Doug") Hughes were greatly shocked on Tuesday evening to learn that he had died suddenly at Winfield, W. Va., where he had gone to work in behalf of his brother, James A. Hughes, who is a candidate for re-election to Congress from the Fifth Congressional District. He had finished a debate defending his brother's record in Congress and had gone to supper. He complained of feeling sick and was assisted to his room where he fell across the bed and died in a few minutes, probably of heart failure. His body was taken to his home in Huntington, and it will be interred at Ashland, where others of the family are buried.

Mr. Hughes was the youngest brother of Postmaster Hughes, of this city, who went to Huntington on the midnight N. & W. train, Mrs. Hughes following on Wednesday. "Doug," as he was familiarly called, was 38 years old, married, and a very popular man. He had a winning way which made friends for himself and for those whose cause he espoused. He had a mind and intellect of a high order; he was a good debater, and had he lived he would have made his mark as a lawyer and politician.

He was in Louisa a short time ago, and was then the picture of health. To the aged father and the brothers of the deceased the NEWS tenders a heartfelt sympathy.

Suicide Near Pikeville.

Crit Charles, a prominent farmer who lived near Zebulon, Pike coun-

ty, committed suicide on Monday last by cutting his throat and plunging head first into a well. He was dead when discovered, very soon after he had disappeared from the house. Ill health, caused from a form of Bright's disease, is said to have been the cause of his rash act. He leaves a young wife, and several children by a former marriage, most of whom are grown up and married. Some weeks ago he sent for Rev. R. B. Neal, of Pikeville, to come and administer baptism by immersion. This was done by filling a large wooden receptacle, made for the purpose, with lukewarm water, and into which he was immersed in the presence of a large number of friends, and attended by the usual ceremonies.

Gets Census Job.

Among the recent appointments of Census Commissioner W. W. Whyte is that of Fred W. O'Brien, of this city, as special census agent in this section of the state, with headquarters at Bluefield. His appointment is effective for actual work April 15. He will be concerned especially with securing data as to the mineral and industrial development in this section of West Virginia, and the work will take from fifteen to eighteen months for completion. It carries with it good pay, and the friends of Mr. O'Brien will be glad to know that he has landed it. The position is one coming under the Civil Service requirements, Mr. O'Brien having successfully passed the required examination at Huntington some weeks ago.—Mingo Republican

An Inspection Tour.

Captain Oakes, U. S. Corps of Engineers, accompanied by Mr. B. F. Thomas, Assistant Engineer, arrived here from Cincinnati on Tuesday night for the purpose of inspecting the locks at Louisa, Chapman and Saltpeter. The visit to Saltpeter was made on the government launch and Mr. A. M. Campbell, Assistant Engineer in charge of these locks, was one of the inspecting party. The trip to Catlettsburg on the return of the party to Cincinnati was also made on the launch. This was the first trip of Capt. Oakes to the Big Sandy.

FOR BLIND CHILDREN.

Opportunity Open For Education of These Unfortunates.

Kentucky Institution for the Education of the Blind.

Louisville, Ky.
Supt. Jay O'Daniel,
Louisia, Ky.

Dear Sir:
Do you know of any blind children, white or colored, in your district, growing up in ignorance, between the ages of six and eighteen years? If you do, will you please send me their names on the enclosed postal card?

The State of Kentucky provides free schooling for such children and, in case of poverty, gives clothing, and pays the railroad fare from their homes and back again for the summer vacation.

I enclose slips giving fuller information. Yours very truly,

B. B. HUNTOON, Supt.
Supt. O'Daniel says he will be glad to assist any one in Lawrence county who may be eligible to the benefits of this school.

Big Sandian Married.

Miss Greer, of Myra, Ky., and Mr. W. W. Bentley, of Pikeville, were married Friday afternoon in the County Clerk's office in Catlettsburg, Rev. P. E. Thornburg performing the ceremony. The groom is a traveling salesman representing the Newberry Shoe Company, of Huntington. The bride is a charming young woman and has been attending school in Lexington.

New Telephone Directory.

The new directories of the Louisa exchange have been delivered to each subscriber. They contain a complete list of all new stations added, and show the different changes since the last issue of the Southern Bell Telephone directory.

In Honor of Mrs. Margaret Moore.

Mrs. Hannah Moore Lackey entertained a number of her relatives, from Ashland, Catlettsburg and Louisa, last Friday evening at a 6 o'clock dinner, the occasion being a celebration of her mother's seventy-second birthday. There were lovely decorations of plants and flowers, and a most delicious dinner was served, a social function in every way most charming. Mrs. Lackey has long had the enviable distinction of being an ideal hostess, a most delightful entertainer, and always with a menu of richest viands, and this was no exception to the established rule. Suffice it to say, she did herself proud in thus honoring her aged mother, "Aunt Mag,"—how familiar, how beautiful the cadence—endeared to all who know of her motherly devotion and Christian character, virtues exemplified throughout a long and useful life.

"Aunt Mag," as we are wont to call her, entered heartily into the spirit of the occasion; her dignity and grace, her beautiful refinement of countenance, together with her perfect taste in dress, and exquisite simplicity of manners, made her the absolute ideal of all present. Many were the hearty congratulations and expressions of solicitude that she might live to celebrate other birthdays, and be spared to friends and family alike, and continue to brighten and make merry the home in which she is easily queen. In other days her latch-string was always out, and from the poor and the needy she turned not away, gave exhibitions of unbounded hospitality that has helped to make Kentucky famous; to say "Kentucky hospitality" is to exhaust the power of simile. No wonder her daughter, Mrs. Lackey, is the charming hostess we have portrayed her; how could she be otherwise with such a mother? "Like mother," like "daughter."

Promptly at six o'clock we were assembled in the spacious dining-room of this elegantly appointed home, and surrounded two dining-tables, extended to the full, and with bowed heads stood reverently while Prof. E. M. Kennison offered the invocation. Seated, Attys Richard Moore and H. C. Sullivan assumed the role of Master of Ceremonies, and each, carving knife in hand, proceeded to dissect two beautiful American birds of golden brown, and here it was that these two disciples of Blackstone became the center of attraction, and acquitted themselves creditably, bountifully serving each plate, as reached in turn. While the turkeys were being carved the guests read from "place cards" found beside each plate, poems they were, descriptive of some one of the invited company, with a rhyme and a meter that would have done credit to a poet laureate. Here the wits of the company were invoked to guess the person, name the one had in mind when our "poets" wrote. Many a hearty laugh was had, and all went merry as a marriage bell.

Dinner over, toastmaster was next in order. H. C. Sullivan was first called upon and responded in a most appropriate way, paying high tribute to the guest of honor. Later, Prof. Kennison was called upon, and then came the peroration by Miss Lyde Moore, each, in turn, indulging in some reminiscence, some virtue worthy the emulation of all, some grace that helps to make life worth while. The later hours of the evening were spent in social chat, and in the singing of sacred songs. Miss Rebecca Lackey and Miss Lucile Sullivan recited. Then came the expressions of appreciation for a most enjoyable evening, and Good-night.

Guests present were Mr. and Mrs. J. H. O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Kennison, Mr. and Mrs. F. T. D. Wallace, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Castle, Mr. W. N. Sullivan, Mrs. F. R. Moore, Miss Lyde Moore, Mrs. Frances Savage, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. McClure, Mr. John Moore and Miss Cynthia Quinn. A GUEST.

Mr. R. T. Farns was receiving the congratulations of many friends on Wednesday, the occasion being the 76th anniversary of his birth. Coupled with the felicitations were the sincere wishes that the venerable citizen and jurist might live to celebrate many more anniversaries of his natal day.

ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM MANY STATES

Important News Gathered from Abroad for the Benefit of Our Readers.

Three entire days were given by the Supreme Court of the United States to hearing arguments in the Standard Oil dissolution suit, beginning on Monday.

The roof of the new million dollar union depot at Winnipeg, Man., collapsed Saturday afternoon, killing two workmen and injuring several others.

The body of Miss Helen Bloodgood, daughter of William Bloodgood, of New York, and heiress to a large fortune, was found in Lake Carafallo, near Lakewood, N. Y. The young woman disappeared from her home on Wednesday night.

Bishop Henry W. Spellmeyer, of St. Louis, who was in Atlantic City, N. J., presiding over the annual New Jersey Methodist Episcopal Conference, died suddenly at the Hotel Dennis Saturday. Death was due to heart disease.

United States Senator John W. Daniel, of Virginia, was stricken with paralysis at Daytona, Fla. He is in a hospital and his physicians say he will recover. The stroke was a slight one.

The highest price for dark tobacco ever paid on the loose floor in Kentucky was reached when \$15.50 a hundred was given at Hopkinsville for a crop raised in East Christian county. It was purchased for the Bremen trade.

By a practically unanimous vote the subcommittee of the House Naval Committee decided against bestowing any reward upon Commander Robert E. Peary until he had furnished further proofs that he discovered the North Pole.

The Democratic county newspapers saved the party several times from defeat and their timely warnings have saved the present Legislature from many sins both of commission and omission. The country press is honest, fearless and dependable.

It looks like that when this Legislature adjourns one long white mark can be made to its credit, that barring the fact of the increase in some salaries it made less extravagant appropriations than any of its predecessors for many years. The only danger now is that it may get a little wild in the closing days.

A bill carrying many changes in the new public school law passed by the last Legislature has gone through the House, but is likely to be defeated in the Senate. All the measures emanating from the school commission have been defeated or shelved, so the chances are there will be no laws passed at this session effecting in any way our common school system.

The Senate Saturday passed the House bill to pension old Confederate soldiers and it is believed that the Governor will sign it. The measure provides for \$12,000 per annum for pensioners over 65 years of age and for \$12 per month for all

Confederate soldiers and their widows who have no so much property as \$2,500 or do not earn or have in income of \$500 a year. In this county there will be many Confederate soldiers who will be entitled to a pension under the act and probably as many more widows of Confederates.

Sanford Love called at the house of his fiancée, Miss Lottie Murden, in Marion, Ill., and shot her twice, once in the breast and once in the back as she turned from him. She died in a few hours. Eight years ago Love shot another young woman, Nora Miller, to whom he was engaged to be married. She recovered.

The Hon. W. J. Price, who has been a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Congress in the Eighth district, has withdrawn. In a statement he declared that the action of the district committee in its call for a primary practically destroyed his chances for success.

"Parson" Wallace, a negro preacher, was lynched by a mob at Greenwood, Miss., which sought revenge for the serious wounding of Patrolman J. W. Slack by the negro. The negro was badly wounded in his fight with the officer and when he fell into the hands of the mob it was necessary to drag him to the telegraph pole to which he was hanged.

James A. Patten, the Chicago speculator, who came to England, as he said, "to look around," had occasion to look sharply from the moment he appeared on the floor of the Cotton Exchange at Manchester. His appearance was the signal for a hostile demonstration, which resulted in his forcible ejection from the exchange and a flight through the streets from a mob that was prevented only by the police from doing him serious harm. Patten was hidden for a while in a business office and later smuggled into a cab and driven to a more secure refuge.

Owingsville, Ky., March 11.—John Alexander Ramsey, past grand master of the Grand Lodge of Kentucky Masons, died here yesterday. The funeral was held here Saturday morning. Mr. Ramsey was born in Owingsville, Dec. 24, 1844, the son of Dr. W. W. Ramsey and Mrs. Martha Ramsey. He was made a Mason in 1866, was master of his lodge for many successive terms and was elected grand master in 1899. Since that time he had served on the most important committees of the Grand Lodge, and but recently resigned as chairman of the finance committee on account of ill health. He was a Knight Templar and past eminent commander of Mt. Sterling Commandary.

The presence of President Taft on the platform at the Metropolitan African Methodist Episcopal Church in Washington, at a celebration in honor of W. S. Scarborough, president of Wilberforce University, and a rally to raise funds for the college, on which occasion the President delivered an address and made

a contribution, is causing continued comment there.

Some efforts were made in advance by Ohio politicians and other friends of the President to dissuade him from attending the meeting. But he went and made a speech. It was pointed out that to appear on a platform to honor a negro who is married to a white woman, and make an address on education and morality and the benefits of hard work before an audience composed mainly of negro Government officeholders and the "high society" element of Washington's negro population, might be misconstrued by the great mass of the negro race.

Admissions were made on both sides Saturday that the controversy between 30,000 firemen, operating on 150,000 miles of railroads west, northwest and southwest of Chicago, and the railroad managers, had become critical, and that the question of a strike, tying up practically all systems between here and the Pacific Coast, would be settled within forty-eight hours.

Ceremonies attending the acceptance by Congress of the statue of John C. Calhoun, presented by the State of South Carolina, were conspicuous features in the sessions of both the Senate and House Saturday. The legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill was under consideration during several hours in the House.

The Senate Committee on Territories voted to report favorably the Arizona and New Mexico statehood bill after adopting an amendment against disfranchising Mexican votes. All of the Democrats opposed the amendment except Mr. Clarke, of Arkansas. It defeated it would have made the new States Democratic.

The Senate resolution providing for the appointment of a commission of eight to recommend redistricting laws to the next Legislature and to frame the bills, was passed. It provides that the commission shall be composed of the Lieutenant Governor and three Senators and the Speaker of the House and three Representatives. One Senator and one Republican shall be a Republican. The members are allowed \$5 a day each and expenses, not to exceed fifteen days.

Gov. Willson has issued an arbor day proclamation to the people of Kentucky, and likewise a letter to the school children of the State, calling upon them for observance of the day, which is April 8.

Perry Belmont has sent a telegram to Gov. Harmon, of Ohio, thanking him and others for the assistance rendered in securing a favorable report from the House Committee on Elections on the bill to compel the publication of campaign expenditures. Mr. Belmont declared that while he is a member of a non-partisan organization which is seeking the passage of the measure, he wants to give the credit for the favorable report on the bill to the minority members of the committee.

The Legislative Committee authorized to investigate the conditions of Kentucky prisons have completed their work and have made their report to the Legislature. The report is exhaustive and the findings are highly complimentary to the present Prison Commissioners. The convicts were found to be well fed, clothed and their tasks light. The punishment given infractions prisoners was found not to be excessive.

Harrodsburg, Ky., March 5.—It has often been said that a mule and an office-holder never die, and a corroboration of the longevity of at least one of these animals is to be found in "Old Ike," a mule belonging to R. B. Shouse, of this county. "Ike's" history is most interesting. He belonged first to Mr. Shouse's grandfather, and when he died at the age of 86 Ike was given to his son, who was the father of the present owner. When the town of the Civil War sounded over the land Mr. Shouse's father saddled "Old Ike" and started out with the soldier boys to fight for the Union. Together they braved many a fierce encounter and met with many exciting adventures. At the battle of Perryville "Old Ike" and his rider were in the thickest of the fray. This battle was fought October 8, 1862.

When the white winged dove of peace once more spread its wings over the strife-torn country, "Old Ike" and his master, worn and weary and battle-scarred, turned their steps homeward once more. Mr. Shouse says his father always loved his faithful old comrade, and used to point with pride to the "U. S." branded on the animal during the war. When he passed away 37 years ago he left the mule to his son, the present owner.

Tutt's Pills

FOR TORPID LIVER.

A torpid liver deranges the whole system, and produces

SICK HEADACHE, DYSPEPSIA, COSTIVENESS, RHEUMATISM, SALLOW SKIN AND PILES.

There is no better remedy for these common diseases than DR. TUTT'S LIVER PILLS, as a trial will prove. Take No Substitute.

Mr. Shouse says the mule has helped to pull a threshing every year and has helped to build over 40 turnpikes since he has owned him. He is a family pet, and in spite of his great age has never seemed to lose the fire and ambition of his youth. Mr. Shouse says he is as hale and hearty now as when his father left him to his care. Mr. Shouse says that from what has been handed down to him he knows the mule is between 90 and 100 years old.

Shake off the grip of your old enemy, Nasal Catarrh, by using Ely's Cream Balm. Then will all the swelling and soreness be driven out of the tender, inflamed membranes. The fits of sneezing will cease and the discharge, as offensive to others as to yourself, will be stopped when the causes that produce it are removed. Cleanliness, comfort, and renewed health by the use of Cream Balm. Sold by all druggists for 50 cents, or mailed by Ely Bros., 56 Warren Street, New York.

MOTHER GONE.

Only a short time ago our Heavenly Father saw fit in his holy wisdom to call from us our dear sister, companion and mother, Maud Curnutte, wife of J. A. Curnutte, and mother of Miss Gussie Curnutte. A good woman is gone. She was converted and joined the church when quite young, and she has lived a true Christian. She feared no evil. She was ready and only waited for the change to come. It was only a step from earth to heaven, so she is done suffering; no consumption there.

Among those present when death came were Mrs. H. H. Curnutte, mother of J. A. Curnutte, who had been at her bedside for about seven weeks during her illness; also a brother, V. B. Curnutte, of Catlettsburg, and a brother, Robert Buskirk, from West Virginia.

Mother, rest from sin and sorrow. Death is o'er and life is won; On thy slumber dawn no morrow. Rest, thine earthly race is run. A Sister.

All the good qualities of Ely's Cream Balm, solid, are found in Liquid Cream Balm, which is intended for use in atomizers. That it is a wonderful remedy for Nasal Catarrh is proved by an ever increasing mass of testimony. It does not dry out nor rasp the tender air-passages. It allays the inflammation and goes straight to the root of the disease. Obstinate old cases have yielded in a few weeks. All druggists, 75c., including spraying tube, or mailed by Ely Bros., 56 Warren Street, New York.

Second-hand Typewriters for Sale.

We have for sale two second-hand typewriters for sale cheap. One is a Smith Premier, the other an Oliver. Your choice for \$25. Apply at the Big Sandy News office.

Pain in Heart

"For two years I had pain in my heart, back and left side. Could not draw a deep breath or lie on left side, and any little exertion would cause palpitation. Under advice I took Dr. Miles' Heart Remedy and Nerveine. I took about thirteen bottles, am in better health than I ever was, and have gained 14 pounds."

MRS. LILLIE THOMAS, Upper Sandusky, Ohio.

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125 acres, Big Blaine, 11 miles west of Louisa, 4 or 5 acres level, all the balance lays well for cultivation. 25 acres in grass. Old and young orchards. Plenty of timber for use on place. Good log house, box kitchen. Good barn and outbuildings and one tenant house. Close to church, school, store and postoffice. Apply to M. F. CONLEY, Louisa, Ky.

80 acres, on Big Blaine, 12 miles west of Louisa, 100 acres cleared, 14 acres level, 60 acres cleared. Plenty of timber to keep up the place. 12 acres in grass and clover. Small apple orchard. New 4-room box house; fairly good barn; extra good well; close to school and church, good neighborhood; on county road. Apply to M. F. Conley, Louisa, Ky.

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I have several fine farms for sale in the Ohio Valley and on the famous Dogwood Ridge, near Wheelersburg, Ohio.

10 acres nice level land, house and barn, fine poultry farm. \$1300. 400 acres, 100 acres cleared, balance good second growth timber, house and barn, fine tobacco land. \$5 per acre.

Also some valuable timber propositions in Oklahoma. If you are looking for a bargain it will pay you to come and see me.

JOE PRAITHER, Wheelersburg, Ohio.

FARM FOR SALE.

I have for sale a farm of 73 acres, with good improvements; 3-foot vein of coal, with two banks open. This farm is located on Hewlett Branch, 4 miles from Louisa, 1 mile from railroad. Part bottom land, plenty of timber for farm purposes; 40 bearing apple trees and 50 young peach trees. Within one-half mile of free school. For further information as to price call or write M. F. CONLEY, Louisa, Ky.

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A farm of 192 acres, all tillable, 8 acres bottom, 75 acres cleared, rest in timber. This is an excellent piece of land and will show for itself for corn, small grain or grass. More than 140 acres suitable for meadow. Good 6-room house, nearly new; fine well in yard. This farm is located 6 miles south of Louisa, one mile from C. & O. railroad and Big Sandy river, on main road and free Rural Mail route. MONT HOLT, Louisa, Ky.

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County News Items

Interesting Facts Gathered During the Week by Our Regular Correspondents.

MEAD'S BRANCH.

Mrs. Ben Miller is on the sick list.

Mrs. John Reynolds was visiting Mrs. Philip Preece Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Miller moved to their new home on Mead's Branch Tuesday.

Miss Bertha Childers is staying with Mrs. John H. Preece this week.

Mrs. Henry Hinkle was calling on Mrs. Charley Childers Monday.

Mrs. Silas Hunley was visiting Mrs. Dave Klee Tuesday.

Wm. Reynolds and Scott Thompson returned from Williamson, W. Va., Thursday.

Rev. A. H. Miller made a business trip to Georges Creek Tuesday.

Miss Nannie Travis was the guest of Miss Malissa Hall Monday.

Joe Travis, of Blaine, passed through here Tuesday.

Mrs. Lucinda Johnson is somewhat improved.

Philip Preece went to Johnson county Wednesday to buy a span of mules.

John Reynolds was calling on friends on Little Blaine Saturday.

Willie Miller, Roy Childers and Lewis Thompson attended church at the Spencer Chapel Saturday night.

Jefferson Burchett made a business trip to Richardson Saturday.

Lewis Thompson, of Mattie, has moved to the creek and is repairing his new house.

The farmers of this place are busy hustling around getting ready to raise large crops.

The sick of this section are not improving very fast.

Married, Saturday, March 11th, Hezy Miller to Miss Julia Thompson. The bride is the daughter of James Thompson, a well known and respected citizen of this section.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Miller were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Blackburn Sunday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Andy Mead recently, at the boy.

Charles Mead attended church at Charley Sunday.

Lee Hickman is visiting friends and relatives at this place this week.

There was church at Charley on Sunday last by Rev. Gilbert Miller. Brave Washington.

The Lash of a Fiend

would have been about as welcome to A. Cooper, of Oswego, N. Y., as a merciless lung-racking cough that defied all remedies for years. "It was most troublesome at night," he writes, "nothing helped me till I used Dr. King's New Discovery which cured me completely. I never cough at night now." Millions know its matchless merit for stubborn colds, obstinate coughs, sore lungs, lagrippe, asthma, hemorrhage, croup whooping cough, or hay fever. It relieves quickly and never fails to satisfy. A trial convinces. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. It's positively guaranteed by A. M. Hughes.

DANIEL'S CREEK.

The prayer meeting at Polly's Chapel was largely attended Saturday night.

Miss Ella McKinney was the guest of Eliza Blankenship Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Genoa Hayes and Miss Virgie Blankenship were visiting Mrs. Mat-

tie Large Sunday evening.

Misses Maudie Diamond and America Blankenship attended church at Polly's Chapel Saturday night.

Mrs. Eliza Clevenger was the guest of Mrs. Easter Blankenship Sunday.

Oscar Diamond was visiting Brad Hayes Saturday.

Arby Kelley passed down our creek Friday.

Oscar Diamond and father passed up our creek Sunday, en route to W. M. Holbrook's.

Willie Carter was married to Miss Jessie Hayes Sunday and the wedding was largely attended.

Miss Mary Webb was shopping at Overda Thursday.

Harry Chaffin was on our creek Sunday.

Sherman Evans and Miss Mary Webb attended church at Polly's Chapel Saturday night.

W. G. Hayes and Oscar Diamond have been visiting in Elliott county.

Willie Blankenship has been working on Twin Branch.

Noah Chaffin passed down our creek Saturday.

Mrs. Martha Large and son Jay were visiting Mrs. Trinnie Jordan Sunday.

Misses Sarah Crabtree and Dovie Evans attended church at Catt last Sunday.

Andy Large has returned home after a short visit with him friends and relatives in Kentucky.

Levi Jones and Charley Wilson attended church at Polly's Chapel Saturday night.

Charley Derfield and Labe Jordan left recently for Mahan, W. Va.

Rube Adams was visiting Robert Diamond Saturday.

James Crabtree passed down our creek Friday en route to Twin Branch.

Dr. Wheeler was at Overda Saturday. Also Drew Adams and Tom Hayes.

W. S. H.

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TUSCOLA.

Carroll, Perkins & Co. passed last Sunday with a fine drove of hogs. They are hustlers when it comes to hogs.

A. J. Webb, of Ollerville, has his grist mill repaired and will be ready this week to furnish the neighborhood with meal.

W. V. Roberts will move a mill to his timber on the Webb land. He has some fine timber and he will begin sawing this week.

Dr. Wheeler was called to Will Wright's Sunday.

Mrs. Sarah Watson has moved back to her old home after an absence of over a year.

Wm. Watson occupies the house vacated by Rome Dean.

Nearly every farmer here is preparing to raise a crop of tobacco.

Mosco Wells has moved to his new home in Contrary. He moved last Friday.

C. F. Smith had the misfortune to fall from a chimney which he was building and sustained very painful injuries. Charley can "cuss" when he takes a notion.

Tivis Bush was here Friday. He is one of the prosperous farmers of this end of the county.

It will not be long till the children will be out after goggle eyes and suckers.

Mrs. Kittle Jordan is very much improved in health.

Herbie Ratcliff went to Fallsburg Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Wright, of Gladys, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Webb Sunday.

Isaac Cunningham has moved from Blaine to his farm here.

Old Lem.

It Saved His Leg.

"All thought I'd lose my leg," writes J. A. Swensen, of Watertown, Wis. "Ten years of eczema that 15 doctors could not cure, had at last laid me up. Then Ducklen's Arnica Salve cured it, sound and well." Infallible for Skin Eruptions, Eczema, Salt Rheum, Boils, Fever Sores, Scalds, Cuts and Piles. 25c at A. M. HUGHES, Louisa, Ky.

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Men's Suits from \$6.50 to \$20.00.

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ADAMS.

Lots of sickness at this place. Mrs. Sarah Fraley's very ill and is not expected to live.

A. H. Moore has been very sick but is better at this writing.

Lon Back is getting ready to move to Columbus, Ohio. We are sorry to lose them as they are good citizens.

Garfield Vanhose, who has been at Irwin, Ohio, has moved back to Blaine on account of his mother's health.

Mrs. Trinnie Moore has been sick. Married, near here, on the 12th, H. K. Miller to Julia Ann Thompson.

We wish them success. Miss Matie McKinster spent Sunday with Beulah B. Miller.

Mamie Moore was the guest of Miss Bessie Carter Sunday.

"Uncle" Lewis Thompson has moved to his farm on Blevin's

Branch. Sorry to lose him.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Newcomb, of Blaine, spent Sunday with J. S. Miller and wife.

A. H. Moore and wife were visitors at J. S. Miller Sunday.

Sherd Vanhose visited his mother Sunday.

Mrs. A. D. Ball, of Mattie, was visiting her mother, Mrs. Tom Fraley, on Friday last.

W. S. Newcomb spent Sunday with Nolda Moore.

Rev. Stratenberger will move to his farm on Irish Creek this week.

Flem Fraley, who returned a few weeks ago from the U. S. A., reenlisted for three years and has returned.

Sadie and Hazel Moore spent last Sunday with Elva and Opal Miller.

Floyd Barker has moved his saw mill to Milt Shor's farm, where he will saw a fine lot of timber.

Several of the boys from here

have been attending the meeting at Mattie for the last week.

Mrs. Nannie Back was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Lilly Thompson, Sunday.

Church at this place Sunday by Revs. Fraley and Stratenberger.

J. S. Miller and daughter, Elva Pearl, were on Blaine Saturday.

Carson Thompson was on Ash Branch Friday.

W. T. Moore is working at Barker's saw mill.

Miss Estelle Miller is staying at her aunt's.

The quarterly meeting will be held at Ledocle some time in April. Little Girl.

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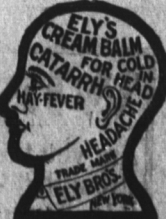
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We are authorized to announce
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of Boyd county, as a candidate for Congress, Ninth District, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

The Moore bill, providing for the transportation of the remains of convicts at the cost of the State, was passed, 72 to 0.

House bill 34, introduced by A. J. Counts, of Carter county, to repeal the charter of the town of Newfoundland, in Elliott county, was passed by vote of 52 to 0.

The new style postal card issued by the U. S. Government and to be placed on sale in the postoffices shortly is printed on a better quality and lighter paper than the old style and is of a bluish tinge. It bears the portrait of President McKinley.

Senate bill 131, by Senator Prichard, to make the second conviction for carrying a concealed weapon a felony. Senator Prichard said there was too much pistol carrying in his part of the country and he wanted the bill enacted. The bill was passed by a vote of 17 to 11.

Among the many bills passed is Herman D. Newcomb's measure providing that electrocution be substituted for hanging as a means of inflicting the death penalty. This bill carries with it an appropriation sufficient to install in the Frankfort penitentiary electrical apparatus with which to execute the death sentence.

There was a little scrap in the Kentucky Senate on the Prichard bill, providing a fine of from \$25 to \$100 for any man under the influence of liquor that attracts the attention of others or creates a disturbance. Senator G. A. Taylor, a Republican, led the fight against the measure, which he said was an outrage. He said under the provisions of the bill if a person smelled whisky on the breath of another he could have the man arrested and convicted under the act. After considerable expressions on the bill it was passed by a vote of 21 to 7.

CADMUS.

Prayer meeting at this place every Saturday night, with V. D. Harmon class leader.

Mrs. Tillie Riffe, of Louisa, is visiting home folks at this place.

The sick of this community are slowly improving.

Lute Elkins is visiting Mrs. Laura Collinsworth.

Misses Sophia and Pearl Fugate were visiting Sadie and Bertha Fugate Sunday.

Conrad Short attended church at this place Sunday night.

Miss Georgia Sparks is visiting Miss Nolda Hewlett.

Edna Stewart is visiting relatives at Ratcliff.

Effie Shortridge has returned home from Trinity, where she has been visiting relatives.

Jellie Tower and Edgar Scott were visiting at J. C. Hibbits last Sunday.

Madge Rice was visiting Miss Hester Woods Thursday evening.

Laura Collinsworth was visiting Mrs. J. W. Towler Sunday.

Jeff Collinsworth made a business trip to Prestonsburg Thursday.

Bascom Brumfield, who has been ill for so long, is no better.

Orville Rice is expected home soon.

There will be church at this place the second Saturday night and Sunday in April, by the Rev. Rice, and baptizing the second Sunday in April.

PROSPERITY.

There will be church at Elm Grove Saturday night and Sunday by Revs. New and York.

The sick of this community are all better, except Mrs. Nannie Dameron.

Miss Jettie Carter has returned from Portsmouth, where she has been visiting her uncle, Sol Carter and family.

Miss Sue Roberts was visiting Mrs. Nannie Grubb Saturday.

Misses Julia Grubb and Ethel Wellman have returned from Louisa.

"Aunt" Mary Chaffin was visiting Hester Grubb last week.

Ethel Chapman was calling on Jettie Pigg Wednesday.

Miss Mary Moore and Mrs. Martha Curnutte were shopping at Prosperity last week.

Mrs. Julia Chaffin will soon leave for W. Va., where she will make her future home.

Mrs. Mattie Wilson visited Mrs. Mary Adams last week.

Misses Mattie Roberts and Nora Alley visited Mrs. Mattie Wilson recently.

Mrs. Ella Adams was visiting her mother, Mrs. Lark Graham, last week.

Miss Ethel Grubb made a trip to Blaine Friday.

John Copley is on the sick list.

Mrs. Catherine Hall was shopping at Prosperity last week.

Misses Viola and Emma Grubb were visiting their cousin, Miss Tilda Grubb, last week.

Miss Lizzie Thompson has returned from Columbus, Ohio.

Ben Salyer has purchased a new organ.

St Cordell and family have moved to Rich Creek.

Mrs. N. G. Pigg was visiting her mother, Mrs. J. J. Alley, Saturday.

Floyd May and family have moved to West Virginia.

Scott Berry has moved to G. Adams' place.

Fred Gussler was visiting Frank Evans and family Sunday.

Jettie Pigg visited Louisa Gussler Sunday evening.

Miss Nora Alley was visiting Miss Lizzie Thompson Sunday.

Rome Miles, who has had fever, is able to be out again.

Bug Whitt and son were visiting John Copley recently.

Logan Dameron, of Pike county, is visiting his brother, Bob Dameron, of this place. Kentucky Kid.

PLEASANT RIDGE.

The party given by the Misses Ella and Allan Hutchinson on last Wednesday night in honor of their birthday was largely attended. Those present were Misses Lillian and Besie Bradley, Ivory and Martha Roberts, Gertrude and Gracie Dameron, Smantha and Hannah Nelson and Martha Belle Lowe; Messrs. Willie, Millard and Fred Wellman, Harrison, Robert and Fred Roberts, John Nelson, T. Wellman, Alton Burchett, Dave and Sol May, Forrest Dameron and Vanton Wellman. All seemed to enjoy themselves fine.

Several from this place attended the funeral of John Meek at Smoky Valley Sunday.

Martin McDowell, of Louisa, who has been visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Johns, returned home Sunday accompanied by his grandfather.

Milt Bradley and Allan and R. B. Hutchinson were calling at Matthew Lemasters, at Smoky Valley, Sunday.

John Jordan, of Yatesville, passed through here Wednesday.

Misses Maud Clarkson and Nora Roberts spent Saturday and Sunday with Samantha and Hannah Nelson.

Miss Dora Johns is attending school in Louisa.

Dave May contemplates a visit to Little Blaine soon.

Phil and J. H. Preece, of Garred's Chapel, passed through here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wat Pennington and little son, Roy, of Marvin, were the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ferrell, Saturday and Sunday.

Forrest Dameron and sister, Miss Dorothy, spent Sunday with their sister, Mrs. M. L. Johns.

John Nelson made a business trip to Louisa Monday.

Alton Burchett was calling at Madge Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Lowe, of Twin Branch, visited relatives here quite recently. Nobody's Darling.

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ULYSSES.

On last Tuesday Henry C. Miller, better known as "Feller," was seriously hurt by a crosstie stick which he and his brother Bob were sawing into, and which rolled over Feller, breaking his leg above the knee. He was also considerably bruised about the head and face. He was treated by Dr. Preston, of Lowmansville, and Dr. Walter, of Charley. He is thought to be doing fairly well.

The Freewill Baptist Church at this place has lately received an organ which was donated by Willie Hays, of Ashland, who formerly lived here.

Elijah Brown, of Border's Chapel, was here one day last week tuning the church organ. Mr. Brown is totally blind but he seems to be an expert at his trade. He is also a successful music teacher.

Mrs. Julia George, of Lost Creek, whose illness was mentioned some time since, continues to grow worse. She is expected to live but a short time.

Dan George, the 18-year-old son of Elias George, is seriously ill with lagrippe.

Mrs. Jemima Davis has been very sick for a few days but is better now.

Gus Moore, of Charley, passed here Saturday en route to Border's Chapel, where he traded for a span of mules.

Erastus Miller, of Buffalo, Johnson county, was the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Ed Boyd, recently.

Mr. Blake was here last week, taking leases for oil and gas. He is working in the interest of a West Virginia company.

Ben Brown has purchased an organ. Buddy Lyons has also bought an organ. Eureka.

RATCLIFF.

Died, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Webb, their oldest daughter, Miss Rachel, of consumption and Bright's disease. She was 27 years old, a good girl, loved by all who knew her. She leaves a father, mother, three brothers and three sisters, and a host of other relatives and friends to mourn their loss. She was laid to rest in the Reeves burying ground to await the resurrection. The bereaved ones have our heartfelt sympathy in their sad bereavement.

Married, February 17th, at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Triplett, on Spring Creek, their oldest daughter, Miss Nora to J. Freelin Woods. They are now housekeeping at the Kibbey place on Spring Creek.

Milt McWain has rented A. J. Pennington's place, and will remodel the house and make it his home this summer.

Word comes that John Bush, who went to Tennessee a few weeks ago had the misfortune to get his foot broken.

Miss Della Johnson, who is making her home with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Reeves, visited home folks Sunday.

Mrs. Tom Mobley, of Elliott county, attended the funeral of her niece, Miss Rachel Webb, Friday.

James Hillman, of Jettie, bought a fine horse from Will Wilson last Saturday. Exchange.

YOUR EASTER OUTFIT.

Will possess that distinctive charm for which all our fabrics and garments are noted if selected at our counters this week. We have a complete array in all the newest conceits of dress from the simplest ornament to the most elaborate costume. The prices are a revelation in values on account of our buying facilities and you have choice from a line of conceits that is only to be found in the largest stores in the country.

Suits, Costumes, Fabrics, Waists, Footwear,
Neckwear, Ribbons, Belts, Gloves,
Hosiery, Toilet Articles, Etc.

We offer completeness in every detail. We show all the newest conceits of dress for the season. We offer a magnificent assortment of all the items of dress that go to make up a complete store. We invite a visit of inspection.

The Anderson-Newcomb Co.,

THE BIG STORE,

25-931 Third Avenue.

HUNTINGTON, W. VA.

BUCHANAN.

Rev. Ball, who has been ill for some time, is now able to be out.

The remains of the four-year-old daughter of Butler Davis were laid to rest in the cemetery near their home.

Green Kinner, who has been employed at Portsmouth, has returned home.

Several of our young people attended the meeting at Mt. Zion last Saturday night.

J. S. Turman had the misfortune of losing a fine cow last week.

Miss Lizzie Williamson and Mary Turman visited their friend, Miss Nola Estep, at Prichard, Saturday.

Sam Turman made a trip to Catlettsburg Saturday.

P. C. Layne was visiting friends here Saturday and Sunday.

James Stump, who has been very sick, is now improving.

Mrs. Mary Wright will leave on Thursday for the southern states.

Cora Bryant, of Rove Creek, was visiting friends last week.

Willard Black and Mark Thompson have returned from Portsmouth.

Will Walker, of Charleston, has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Tilden Smith.

Sam McSorley and family have occupied their old home place.

Mrs. Martin Frazier is visiting her mother, Mrs. McSorley.

Philip Carter and Nicholas Fannin were guests of their aunt, Rachel Turman, Saturday and Sunday.

Alfred Ward, of Kavanaugh, has moved to this place.

MISS VICTORIA P. SMITH WAS HERE SATURDAY AND SUNDAY.

Miss Edith Faulkner is visiting her mother in Ashland.

Miss Mabel Wellman is a visitor at Catlettsburg. Two Black Eyes.

SACRED WIND.

W. M. Sagraves died March 3rd. He is missed by the people of Nob Branch.

Noah Wells was visiting on the Biggs Branch recently.

Katie Boggs is the guest of J. P. Williams.

Sarah and Nora Sturgill have returned from Ohio, where they have been for some time, the guest of their grandfather, Jesse Boggs.

Miss Sarah Sturgill visited at E. K. Junction recently.

Mrs. Ella Sparks was visiting her sister on the Boggs Branch recently.

Mrs. P. F. Boggs and Mrs. D. O. Williams have returned from court.

Sarah and Nora Sturgill visited friends in Ashland recently.

Garfield Rice was up from Green-up county last week.

Oscar Church has moved to Green up county. Oh You Kid.

Lost His Household Goods.

When Julius Diamond returned to Louisa from Bowie, Texas, he shipped his goods home by rail. At least he started them this way, but they have not yet appeared and he has brought suit against the Rock Island railroad for their recovery. He values his property at about two hundred dollars.

BEAR CREEK.

W. M. Church purchased a fine mare from Martin Moore for \$125.

Miss Laura Church and little sister, Rebecca, were visiting their grandparents recently.

Ben Church and W. D. Church are visiting relatives at Long Branch.

Mrs. W. S. Church has purchased a fine weaving loom.

George Powers was visiting on Brushy Sunday.

W. M. Church visited his sick daughter on Long Branch recently.

We are sorry to hear of the death of little Lizzie Cavern.

French Hall, of Estep, got his barn burned last week. Two Chums.

Muskats Wanted Until June 1.

WILL PAY WILD CAT PRICES.

No. 1 Rat at 50c and 55c.

No. 2 at 39c.

All other furs at their value.

The fur man will be in Louisa every Friday from now on. Bring your fur to the express office and you will get the cash for them.

People living at a distance from the leading road leave your pelts at the store. The fur man will get them as he goes through. Will pay cash for hides and wool and horse hides.

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Are you thin, pale, easily tired, lack your usual vigor and strength? Then your digestion must be poor, your blood thin, your nerves weak. You need a tonic and alterative. You need Ayer's Sarsaparilla, the only Sarsaparilla entirely free from alcohol. We believe your doctor would endorse these statements, or we would not make them. Ask him and find out. Follow his advice. J.C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

The endorsement of your doctor will certainly greatly increase your confidence in Ayer's Pills as a family laxative. Liver pills. All vegetable. Ask your doctor about them.

GREAT REDUCTION.

All Winter Goods at Reduced Prices.

Watch for Our Spring Opening

Newest Spring Styles Arriving Daily
Tailored Wash Suits and Shirtwaists.

All kinds of Fabrics and Novelties for
Spring and Summer Wear.

LET US SHOW YOU.

WE SELL FOR LESS.

W. D. PIERCE,

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(We Sell for Less.)

Kentucky.

Absolutely Pure...



Big Sandy News

Friday, March 18, 1910.



Oh, Why!

The scientist the question begs—
The mystery's profound—
Why rabbits only lay their eggs
When Easter rolls around.

The Lamb's Finish.

Mary had a little lamb,
But it she could not keep,
For ere a year had passed away
It was a great big sheep.
Then a naughty butcher came,
Wise in the art of sham,
And next day on his counter
The sheep again was lamb.

Insure with Wallace. Life, Fire,
Accident, etc. Office near depot.

J. J. Fagg was at home Sunday
with a bad cold. His cough sound-
ed like the exhaust of the Thealka.

Inspect our spring line of Cloth-
ing, Shoes, Shirts, Underwear, Neck-
wear, Odd Pants, etc., before they
are all picked over. Loar & Burke.

The NEWS sees a bright day
ahead for Paintsville. The Herald
of that place says that "the older
we get the more we resemble Lou-
isa."

John Williamson, of the town
named for his people, and who has
been under treatment here for some
time, is able to walk about the
streets.

The town cows stand in front of
the stores and notice for future
reference who buy garden seeds. Be-
tween cows and chickens some of us
have a hard time gardening.

The piano that is being used in
the union meeting at the courthouse
is furnished by the West End Piano
Co., of Huntington, W. Va. If you
would like to have it see the man-
agers.

Oliver Webb, of the K. N. C., has
returned from a visit to relatives in
Prestonsburg. He was out of school
several days on account of sickness,
but he is now all right and has re-
sumed his studies.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Stewart en-
tertained quite a number at whilst
on last Friday evening. Mr. and
Mrs. J. C. Thomas, the Misses Haz-
leton and a few other guests enjoy-
ed a very pleasant evening.

After a pleasant visit among
friends Mrs. James Skene and
daughter, Miss Ellen, went to Hun-
tington Wednesday. Mr. Skene has
leased a residence in that city and
the family moved in this week.

B. D. Daniels (Bud) has bought
a farm near Waverly, O., and with
his family will leave Charley the
latter part of this week for his new
home. Bud is a popular citizen,
and his friends will miss him and
his family.

Miss Laura Hazelton, of Balti-
more, Md., and niece, Miss Myra
Hazelton, of Cincinnati, who have
been visiting at Louisa, were here
today en route to Ironton for a visit
with Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Jenkins.—
Ashland Independent.

Mrs. Fannie Johnson, the art
teacher of Louisa, attended the fun-
eral of her uncle, Jake T. Patrick,
on the 1st, and is now on her way
back to Louisa to assume the duties
of her station. Mrs. Johnson highly
recommends the school work which
is being carried on by Prof. Bying-
ton and his able corps of assistants
at that place.—Salyersville Leader.

Next Monday is County Court day.

Mabel, little daughter of Mont
Holt, has been quite sick for sev-
eral days.

"Blue Eyes," of Daniels Creek,
gets a black eye this week. No sig-
nature to letter.

Miss Lute Yates pleasantly en-
tertained a small party at cards on
Thursday evening last.

Repairs to the steamer Geraldine
have been completed and she will
be put into the water this week.

The Rev. E. C. Switzer, of Bar-
boursville, W. Va., arrived here
Wednesday and is attending the re-
vival.

Labe Simpson will occupy the
house vacated by A. M. Kennedy,
corner of Lady Washington and
Perry streets.

J. M. Turner, who has a large
concrete job in Portsmouth, was
detained at home several days last
week on account of a very bad cold.

J. L. Richmond has gone to Lock
No. 13 on the Kentucky river to
construct the locktenders' houses
for which he and Augustus Snyder
have the contract.

Hon. Mordecai Williams, a promi-
nent citizen of Boyd county and
candidate for the Democratic nomi-
nation for Congress from this dis-
trict, was in Louisa on Thursday.

A meter inspector for the U. S.
Gas & Fuel Company was in Louisa
this week examining the meters of
the company. He will make a re-
port upon the same for future ob-
servation.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Graham, of
Prosperity, are happy over the ar-
rival of a fine boy. They call the
little fellow Master Charles Linus.
Mrs. Graham was formerly Miss Ida
Hewlett, of Louisa.

After a stay of several months in
Greenfield, O., Mr. and Mrs. W. D.
Pierce and daughter have returned
to Louisa, arriving here early last
Sunday morning. Their many friends
here are glad to have these pleasant
people with them again.

Judge Beckner Dead.

Judge William Beckner died at
his home in Winchester, Ky., last
Monday night. He was successively
Police Judge, County Judge, member
of the Legislature, member of the
Constitutional Convention, Railroad
Commissioner, Prison Commissioner
and member of Congress.

Judge Beckner was in this city
last summer and was one of the
speakers in the "whirlwind" educa-
tional campaign.

Big Sandian Succeeding at Paris.

Prof. George W. Chapman, a na-
tive of this county, has been re-
elected Superintendent of the Paris,
Ky., Public Schools for a term of
four years at an increased salary
of \$1800 per year. He went to
Paris four years ago at a salary of
\$1250. This was increased the sec-
ond year to \$1500. He is making
a great success of the work, as is
shown by the increased attendance
and the appreciation expressed by
the board in the increases of salary.

Visiting Ministers.

The Revs. Spencer, of the M. E.
Church South, and Wean, of the
M. E. Church, Ashland, came up
Tuesday to attend the Holcomb
meetings and remained until Wed-
nesday afternoon. They were guests
of R. T. Burns. The Rev. J. M.
Barnett, of the M. E. Church South,
Pikeville, was also a visitor on Tues-
day.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Frank Vinson was in Kenova last
week.

Ira See was a Huntington visitor
Monday.

John Wallace, of Gallup, paid
this office a call last Monday.

Charley Branham, of Huntington,
visited home folks on Sunday.

Mrs. H. G. Wellman visited her
mother in Whites Creek this week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Kirk, of Inez,
are attending the Holcomb meeting.

Mrs. Vernon Long, of Huntington,
was registered at the Brunswick last
week.

Mr. James Skene, a former resi-
dent of this city, was in Louisa on
Sunday.

J. S. and Barnes Gillespie, of
Tazewell, Va., were in Louisa on
Monday.

G. K. Compton, of Torchlight,
paid the NEWS office a pleasant
call last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Meek, of Hun-
tington, attended the funeral of their
uncle, John Meek.

Mrs. A. H. Moore, of Ashland, at-
tended the funeral of her brother-
in-law, John Meek.

J. A. Moffatt, of Catlettsburg, and
G. V. Meek, of Huntington, attend-
ed the burial of Mr. John Meek.

Mrs. Ezra Hatten has gone to
Whites Creek, W. Va., where she
will spend the summer with Mr.
Hatten's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Adams, of
Catlettsburg, came up Wednesday
evening and attended the Holcomb
meeting at night.

J. C. Thomas has returned to
Wellsville, O. Mrs. Thomas and the
children, Jack and Katherine, are
in Ironton for a short visit.

Mrs. Frances Savage, of Ashland,
and Miss Lyde Moore, of Catletts-
burg, were guests of Mrs. Hannah
Lackey at the dinner given in honor
of Mrs. Lackey's mother, Mrs. Mar-
garet Moore, on last Friday evening.

After a pleasant visit of a week
Miss Laura Hazelton, of Baltimore,
and Miss Myra Hazelton, of Cincin-
nati, returned to their homes on
Sunday last. They stopped in Iron-
ton en route for a short visit to
friends in that city.

Ashland Theatre Burned.

The Colonial theatre on Winches-
ter between Fifteenth and Sixteenth
streets, Ashland, was gutted by a
fire which occurred early last Sun-
day evening. The interior, stage and
furniture were totally destroyed, in-
volving a loss of several thousand
dollars.

The building is in the heart of
the business district, and if the fire
walls had collapsed the result would
have been the destruction of a large
amount of property. An adjoining
building was occupied by the Tri-
State Printing Co., of which Ed.
Eldridge, formerly of Louisa, is a
member. Fortunately this escaped
injury.

Moving Time Has Arrived.

With the rapid approach of spring
time, the usual moving among those
who own no real estate is on again.
Today there were as many as three
families came down the Big Sandy,
on the C. & O. train, en route to
their new homes. Two of them
namely J. M. Mullins and Frank
Greer, were from Pike county and
were going to Greenup county where
they expect to farm. Moses Walters
and family were from Magoffin
county and were moving to Ceredo.
—Catlettsburg Tribune.

Has Reformed.

Sam Deck Smith, for many years
a Deputy United States Marshal in
West Virginia and later served as
a special detective, has become a
thorough bred franger and is cul-
ivating a fine farm about three
miles up the Big Sandy river, on the
West Virginia side, where he is en-
joying a full degree of prosperity
usually enjoyed by the farmers dur-
ing these latter days. He has three
pairs of the finest horses in his sec-
tion of the country.—Catlettsburg
Tribune.

"The Ranchman."

Local talent gave a very credit-
able rendition of a western drama
at the Eldorado Friday evening of
last week, repeating the perform-
ance on Saturday evening. The at-
tendance was large on both evenings.
The title of the play was "The
Ranchman."

LAWRENCE CIRCUIT COURT

Will Convene the 4th Monday in April
This Year.

The following letter from Judge
Hannah to the NEWS settles the
question of the time at which the
April term of the Lawrence Circuit
Court will begin:

We quote as follows from his
letter:

"The act changing the time of
holding courts in this district, if it
becomes a law, will not take effect
until August 1st. Your next term
will, therefore, commence the 4th
Monday in April, as usual."

Corn Growers' Association.

The first regular meeting of the
Lawrence County Corn Growers'
Association will be held at the court
house in Louisa on Monday, March
21st. Following is the program:

The meeting will begin at 1:00
o'clock p. m.

1. Prayer.
2. Minutes of the previous meet-
ing.
3. Enrollment of new members.
4. Address by Mr. Frank McKee,
an expert corn man sent out by the
Department of Agriculture.
5. The good of the Association.

It is hoped that every member of
the Association and all others who
are interested in corn growing will
attend.

Former Louisa Boy Promoted.

Will Ferguson, agent for the
Adams Express Company, at Cat-
lettsburg, and quite well known in
this city, has received a handsome
promotion, and will be transferred
to the office at Middlesboro. He will
leave immediately to assume the
duties of his new position, while
his family will join him later. Mr.
Ferguson has been connected with
the express office in the Gate City
for the past fifteen years, and by
his faithful and precise methods of
conducting the business he has well
earned a promotion, and his friends
congratulate him upon having been
properly recognized, and wish for
him still greater things.—Tribune.

Revival Near Fort Gay.

Rev. Allen Smith has been hold-
ing a revival meeting with the
Spruce Lick Baptist Church. About
50 persons have been converted or
renewed during the meeting. The
church has been wonderfully revived
and we believe great and lasting
good has been accomplished. The
church has greater responsibility
now resting upon it than for many
years.



WHITE SEED OATS.

Will have a car of WHITE SEED OATS on sale the first of next
week. Also all kinds of FIELD SEEDS, such as RED CLOVER, KEN-
TUCKY BLUEGRASS, RED TOP, ORCHARD and TIMOTHY. First
class seed at rock bottom price. Will give farmers the benefit of
wholesale prices.

Dixon, Moore & Co.,

LOUISA.

KENTUCKY.

DONITHON.

Rev. S. F. Reynolds, who has been
holding a revival at this place, re-
turned to his home at Louisa last
Saturday.

G. E. Chapman was called to Ft.
Gay Saturday to the bedside of his
niece, who is very low with brain
fever.

Miss Shirley Peters, of Walbridge,
passed through here Sunday.

John T. Roberts is able to be out
again after a severe case of lung
fever.

Misses Mayme Chapman and Alice
See spent Sunday with Misses Nan-
nie and Josie Lambert.

Born, to Ben Maynard and wife,
since our last writing, a girl; also
to Taylor Frazier and wife, a girl.

Charley Sammons and wife, of
Summitt, spent Sunday with H. W.
Lambert and wife.

Miss Sadie See spent Sunday with
Shirley Patrick, of Clifford.

There will be church at the
church house next Sunday, March
20th.

Prayer meeting at the school
house every Thursday night.

Papa's Pet.

Another Floyd Killing.

At Beaver Creek last Monday Joe
Allen, who was drinking, shot and
wounded Dr. Walker Stambaugh,
the bullet taking effect in the Doc-
tor's shoulder. The Doctor retaliat-
ed by shooting Allen dead. We have
no particulars.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of an execution to me
directed, which issued from the of-
fice of the Clerk of the Lawrence
Circuit Court, in favor of W. M.
Chapman and against Martha Beas-
ley and J. A. Beasley, I will, on the
18th day of April, 1910, about 1:00
o'clock p. m., it being County Court
day, at the Court House door in the
city of Louisa, expose to public sale
a tract of land lying on the waters
of Georges Creek, Lawrence county,
Ky., levied upon as the property of
said Martha Beasley and J. A. Beas-
ley, and on which this is exempt.
Said tract adjoins on the east the
land of Mike Borders, deceased; on
the west the land of W. M. Chap-
man; on the north the land of Bud
Beasley and Ed Boyd and S. B.
Davis, and on the south the land
of Anderson Borders, and will pro-
ceed to sell said land (or so much
of it as will be necessary to satisfy
said execution, \$212.20, with inter-
est from June 29, 1908, until paid,
and the costs of this suit) to the
highest and best bidder, on a credit
of three months from the day of
sale, the purchaser giving bond with
approved security, to have the force
and effect of a replevin bond, on
which execution may issue if the
same is not paid at maturity, when
and where due attendance will be
given by me.

This 14th day of March, 1910.

JOHN H. CARTER, S. L. C.

By J. M. BORDERS, D. S.

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The most up-to-date line
we have ever had the pleas-
ure to Show you.

Largest Stock.

Lowest Prices.

NASH & HERR;

LOUISA.

Men's and Boys Outfitters.

KENTUCKY

WEST VIRGINIA NEIGHBORS.

The first well of the Belvard Oil Company on Peter Cave Creek, in Wayne county, is expected to come in this week. At a depth of about 1,250 feet some gas was found in the Big Lime that might, perhaps, be in paying quantities if shot. It was cased off, however, and the well was sunk deeper in search of the oil sand.

There is a scheme on hand by the Pocahontas Coal Operators Association to adopt the "work early and quit early" plan of enjoying life. This is to be done by putting the clock one hour ahead during the summer months so that the men will have an hour in the afternoons for recreation. This change will give the men the opportunity to play tennis or baseball or take part in any other sports they might enjoy.

Sunday morning there was a most unusual wreck on the N. & W. at Davy, W. Va., when an engine jumped off the west bound track and ran into a house near the railroad right of way throwing the house off of its foundation. The three inmates were only slightly injured from being knocked about the house as it was swerved from its foundation.

Monday night there was a wreck near Ada, W. Va., caused by two huge boulders having rolled on the track and a freight train running into them, throwing eight cars cross ways of the track and two cars overturned and the track itself being badly torn up. No one but a colored man was hurt and that was caused by his jumping off the top of a car when he saw what was going to happen. The engineer and fireman stuck to their posts and were unhurt. The passengers from No. 3 and No. 16 had to change trains. No. 16 returning West as No. 3 and No. 3 going on to Roanoke as No. 14.

Governor Glasscock granted pardons the first of the month to E. F. Wyson and Boyd Lycans, two men convicted at the November term of the Wayne Circuit Court of carrying revolvers. They had each served about four months of their six months' jail sentence. Their fines were also remitted.

The Supreme Court on Tuesday by majority vote decided that the two cent rate law was constitutional on principle, but that it is confiscatory in the special case of the Coal & Coke road. It is very evident that if the ruling of the court is not changed the other roads will have to return to the two cent rate, as they cannot make the "confiscatory" case that the Coal & Coke did. The State will proceed at once to test the other cases.

Disastrous Fire at Williamson.
Last Saturday night between ten and eleven o'clock the town was aroused by the cry of fire and the large reflection soon showed every one that it was on Lower Second avenue, and turned out to be the home of G. R. Blackburn which was completely destroyed and nothing saved of any value. The home of Isom Blackburn which was next door to his father's soon caught and was almost totally destroyed also. He managed to get out a few of his possessions, however. Mr. Blackburn and his son estimated the whole loss for the two houses as

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CLEVELAND, OHIO.

they held together for the two homes \$4,410 in the insurance companies. This is the second time Mr. Blackburn has lost his home by fire in the last few years and is not decided as yet whether he will rebuild or not.—Williamson Enterprise.

Small Fire Tuesday.

Tuesday afternoon about 3:30 the alarm of fire was given and following the crowd you were soon at the end of Second avenue and found the outhouse back of Mr. Graham's home was in a blaze but the fire was soon put out by the prompt action of the men who were only a short time getting the hose there and to work. One of the colored women who lived in the house was badly burned about the face and hands in trying to get out some of her property. She said she made a fire in the stove and then went out in the yard but when she started to go back into the building the room was already a mass of flames.—Williamson Enterprise.

The United States government has put its conservation of water courses policy to work in this section and as a result the contractors who are at work along the Tug river have been advised that the government does not approve of dumping dirt along the banks. The order, which has been issued through local officers, has stopped this kind of work and while it will inconvenience contractors who have taken contracts figuring that they could get rid of the thousands of cubic feet of dirt by dumping it along the river banks, it will injure no one else.

Heretofore it has been customary when driving a tunnel into a mountain where a river was nearby, to make a fill near the opening, and in other construction work along the rivers which have been under Uncle Sam's supervision, the same plan was adopted. This will all be stopped if the department of the interior starts in to protecting all of the rivers. In many cases it will stop future washouts as the new ground or changed water course is always a source of more or less trouble.—Bluefield Telegraph.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

LEDOCIO.

There will be preaching at this place next Saturday night by Rev. Kazee.

A. L. Moore made a business trip to Charley recently.

Miss Gracie Moore, who is attending school at Fallsburg, is expected home soon on a visit.

Floyd Barker has moved his saw mill down to this place, where he will begin sawing at once.

Miss Bessie Carter, who has been visiting her uncle, has returned to her home.

Miss Lillie Hayes attended church at Mattie Sunday.

Dr. Moore and wife visited C. C. Hays Sunday.

Miss Mary Miller visited home folks Sunday.

Dr. J. O. Moore has bought a fine horse.

Misses Martha and Willie Moore visited their cousin, Miss Inez Jordan, Sunday.

Lewis Thompson has moved to Mead's Branch. Jim Miller has moved into his house.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Moore attended church at Mattie Sunday. Also Mr. and Mrs. B. Z. Jordan.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Moore, of Saturday and Sunday last.

Golden Rod.

Shake off the grip of your old enemy, Nasal Catarrh, by using Ely's Cream Balm. Then will all the swelling and soreness be driven out of the tender, inflamed membranes. The fits of sneezing will cease and the discharge, as offensive to others as to yourself, will be stopped when the causes that produce it are removed. Cleanliness, comfort and renewed health by the use of Cream Balm. Sold by all druggists for 50 cents or mailed by Ely Bros., 56 Warren St., New York.

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See those nice boys' Suits at Loar & Burke's. All colors, all styles.

NEWS OF THE FARM.

W. S. Copley, a life long resident of Wayne county, has moved from Little Lynn Creek to the State of Nebraska. Mr. Copley was formerly Clerk of the Wayne Circuit Court and has many friends throughout the county who will miss him.

The best thing to insert down an animal's throat to remove an apple or anything the animal is choked on is a piece of rubber hose. Being hollow, it will let in the air freely and in that respect is an improvement on the butt of a whip, which is so often used for this purpose.

To relieve bloating, put the cow in an inclined stall having the front elevated about two feet. Put a round stick, about an inch and a half in diameter, in her mouth, bridle fashion. Elevating the cow causes her internal organs to drop back from the lungs, and the stick allows the gas to escape. This has been found to be better than medicine.

Foot Rot in Sheep.

If the hoofs are well trimmed there is much less danger of infection from foot rot. When the disease gets into the herd, cause all the sheep to walk through a shallow trough containing a solution of one pound of chloride of lime to twelve quarts of water. Have this about four inches deep in the trough. Then separate the diseased sheep from the well ones, and keep them separated until the disease is stamped out.

Farm Barns.

Each section of the country has its own fashions in barns. In some localities the bank barn predominates, in others the gambrel roof with or without the basement stable is seen on almost every farm. There is a projecting roof style favored in Illinois. These projecting roofs are built out from the side of the barn at a height of about ten feet above ground and are for the purpose of sheltering stock and farm implements.

Bank barns were originally intended for side hills, but where the idea prevails you will find them on ground that is quite level. The bank is hauled in to form a driveway and this is all the excuse for a bank the farmer has. Such barns are awkward to get into and worse to get out of with a wagon.

Dehorning With Caustic Potash.

It has been proved by experiments that horns can be removed by the application of caustic potash after the calves are three days old, but dehorning should not be postponed or the results will be unsatisfactory. To apply the potash, remove the hair about the horns close to the skin and moisten slightly with potash, rubbing until the skin is white.

The potash should be wrapped in paper to protect the hands of the operator, and it should not be made so moist that it will run down the side of the calf's head. When applying the caustic the calf's head should be fastened securely to avoid applying anywhere except over the horns. Any potash left over should be kept in a tightly corked bottle for future use.

Give Sheep Good Care.

Because sheep are notably useful animals for clearing up pastures, that is no reason why they should be starved into doing so. They should have good pasture. It is a mistake to starve sheep into trimming a brush lot.

If pasture be short the sheep should be fed a ration of grain daily in the field, the trough being slatted across to keep the sheep from getting their feet into it. There should be plenty of trough room so that they will not crowd each other.

Sheep respond quickly and well to good care and attention.

Lameness is often caused by the presence of tufts of grass wedged between the toes. It is a good plan to be on the lookout for them.

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COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

Crutcher & Bromley, Plffs.
vs.
Vic V. Prichard, Admr., and others.
Defts.

Pursuant to a judgment of the Lawrence Circuit Court rendered at its January term 1910, in the above styled cause, the undersigned Master Commissioner of the Lawrence Circuit Court, will, on Monday the 21st day of March, 1910, being regular County Court day, offer for sale, at the front door of the Court House in Louisa, Ky., the following described property or a sufficient amount thereof to pay the debts adjudged in said action, to-wit: The sum of \$1000.38 (this sum being the note sued on) \$1150.00 with interest from June 16, 1894, until August 24, 1903, the date of R. J. Prichard's death, with credit of \$350.00, less \$26.55 costs of date July 5, 1897, no further interest to be charged against the estate of R. J. Prichard, deceased after said August 24, 1903, and the costs of James Prichard expended in said action, for which he was adjudged a lien.

Also to satisfy judgment rendered in said action in favor of C. M. Crutcher and Sam Bromley, known as Crutcher & Bromley, the sum of \$30.54 subject to a credit of \$5.00, with interest from March 24, 1903, until paid; also the sum of \$69.45 with interest at six per cent from February 23, 1904, until paid, and costs, adjudged Edgar B. Hager, assignee of Snyder Hardware Co.

The following described real estate, house and lot situated in Louisa, Lawrence County, Ky., and being the south half of Lot No. 95 as laid down on the plat of Louisa, and fronting on Franklin street 208 feet and 8 1/2 inches, and extending back from Franklin street along Boone alley 104 feet and 4 1/4 inches thence at right angles across the center of said lot No. 95 to Pocahontas alley 208 feet and 8 1/2 inches; thence with Pocahontas alley to Franklin street, thence with Franklin street to the beginning, being the same property upon which R. J. Prichard lived at the time of his death.

In offering said property for sale it will be offered as follows: One hundred feet fronting on Franklin street from Boone alley, thence with Boone alley to the corner of Franklin street and Boone alley. Then if that part of the property does not pay the debt, interest and costs adjudged lien in said action, the Commissioner will then offer for sale the entire lot including the dwelling house.

TERMS: The said sale will be made upon a credit of six and twelve months, purchaser to execute bond payable to the Commissioner with approved security, with lien retained on property so sold until the purchase price is paid in full.
F. L. STEWART, M. C. L. C. C.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

Kitchen, Whitt & Co., Plffs.
vs.
John L. Hibbard and Mary L. Hibbard, Defts.

Pursuant to a judgment of the Lawrence Circuit Court rendered at its January term 1910, the undersigned Master Commissioner of the Lawrence Circuit Court, will on Monday the 21st day of March, 1910 being regular County Court day, offer for sale at the front door of the Court House in Louisa, Ky., to the highest and best bidder the following described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the debt, interest and costs adjudged plaintiff in above cause, to-wit: The sum of \$536.06 with interest from October 9, 1908, until paid, and costs of said action. Said property so adjudged to be sold is described as follows, to-wit: Two tracts of land containing about 75 acres, in Lawrence County, Ky., first described as follows:

FIRST TRACT: Beginning at a small ash on the banks of Nats Creek near the old Milton Preston store house, thence a northwest course to the top of the point, thence with the point to the ridge, Samuel Vaughan's line, thence with Vaughan's line to James Fitzpatrick's line, thence with James Fitzpatrick's line to his corner, thence to the corner of the Peach Orchard Coal Company's land marked by a large set in stone on the ridge, said stone being marked with letters W. N. B. cut into it, thence a straight line to the forks of the Bidle branch, thence with the meanders of said branch to Nats creek, thence with the meanders of Nats creek to the beginning, the mineral privileges are excepted.

SECOND TRACT: Beginning at a small sweet gum tree, on east side of Nats Creek, corner of the tract known as the H. A. Barrett land, then running with an agreed line, agreed to by Millard Castle November 19, 1906, to the mouth of Rock branch; thence up the said Rock branch with its meanders to said first large rock in said branch; thence courses and distances being the same, South 86 East 49 poles, but the branch is the line; thence a straight line S. 4 W. up the hill to H. A. Barrett's line on top of the Vermillion point; thence down the center of the Vermillion point to the beginning.

TERMS OF SALE: Sale will be made upon a credit of six and twelve months, purchaser to execute bonds payable to undersigned Master Commissioner, with good personal security, with a lien retained on the property so sold until the whole of the purchase price is paid in full.
F. L. STEWART, M. C. L. C. C.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

John L. Jobe, etc., Plffs.
vs.
Shade Chaffin, etc., Defts.

Pursuant to a judgment of the Lawrence Circuit Court rendered at its January term 1910, the undersigned Master Commissioner of the Lawrence Circuit Court, will, on Monday the 21st day of March, 1910 being regular County Court day, at the front door of the Court House in Louisa, Ky., offer for sale the following described property, or a

Not Sisters

Now and again you see two women passing down the street who look like sisters. You are astonished to learn that they are mother and daughter, and you realize that a woman at forty or forty-five ought to be at her finest and fairest. Why isn't it so? The general health of woman is so intimately associated with the local health of the essentially feminine organs that there can be no red cheeks and round form where there is female weakness.

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sufficient amount thereof to satisfy the debt of plaintiff rendered in the above entitled action, amounting to the sum of \$41.66, with interest at six per cent from September 30, 1893, until paid, and the costs of said action, said land is described as follows:

Situated on the Cranes Nest Fork of Cats Fork of Blaine Creek, Lawrence County, Ky., being a portion of the John M. Chaffin tract owned by him at the time of his death, described as follows, to-wit: Beginning on two sugar trees and buckeye on south side of Cooksey fork of Catt, N. 74 W. 35 poles to a beech on the bench of a hill, S. 30 W. 52 poles to a white oak on the south side of hill, S. 69 W. 16 poles to a stone near the creek at Cecil Walter's line, crossing the creek and with the dividing line between Shad Chaffin and Cecil Walter's to a rock N. 52 1/2 E. 15 1/2 to a small dogwood on the bench; N. 58 E. 12 poles to a small white oak, ash and buckeye, near a small drain; N. 9 W. 36 poles to a small chestnut and two black oaks in the bench of the hill; N. 26 E. 65 poles to the beginning; supposed to contain 17 1/2 acres.

TERMS: Sale will be made upon a credit of six months, purchaser to execute his bond payable to plaintiff to be approved by the Commissioner and with lien retained on the property so sold to secure the payment of the purchase money until paid in full.
F. L. STEWART, M. C. L. C. C.

TA PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by the Act of Congress approved July 2, 1909, the Thirtieth Decennial Census of the United States is to be taken, beginning on the fifteenth day of April, nineteen hundred and ten; and

WHEREAS a correct enumeration of the population every ten years is required by the Constitution of the United States for the purpose of determining the representation of the several States in the House of Representatives; and

WHEREAS it is of the utmost importance to the interests of all the people of the United States that this census should be a complete and accurate report of the population and resources of the country: Now, therefore, I, William Howard Taft, President of the United States of America, do hereby declare and make known that, under the act aforesaid, it is the duty of every person to answer all questions on the census schedules applying to him and the family to which he belongs, and to the farm occupied by him or his family, and that any adult refusing to do so is subject to penalty.

The sole purpose of the census is to secure general statistical information regarding the population and resources of the country, and replies are required from individuals only in order to permit the compilation of such general statistics. The census has nothing to do with taxation, with army or jury service, with the compulsion of school attendance, with the regulation of immigration, or with the enforce-

ment of any national, state, or local law or ordinance, nor can any person be harmed in any way by furnishing the information required. There need be no fear that any disclosure will be made regarding any individual person or his affairs. For the due protection of the rights and interests of the persons furnishing information every employee of the Census Bureau is prohibited, under heavy penalty, from disclosing any information which may thus come to his knowledge.

I therefore earnestly urge upon all persons answer promptly, completely, and accurately all inquiries addressed to them by the enumerators or other employees of the Census Bureau, and thereby to contribute their share toward making this great and necessary public undertaking a success.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

Done at the city of Washington this fifteenth day of March, A. D. one thousand nine hundred and ten, and of the Independence of the United States of America the one hundred and thirty-fourth.

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Why Is It?

As we passed along the street on a recent Sunday we counted twenty-seven young men, most of them in their teens, just budding into manhood, loitering their time away. As we looked into their faces, many of them lighted up by the beacon rays of a poor cigar or the pernicious cigarette, we recognize them as young men blessed with comfortable homes, indulgent parents and loving sisters. We ask ourselves, why is it? Why do these young men prefer the unclean resorts, comfortless streets and mixed society, to the upholstered chair, the pleasant and comfortable surroundings of the family circle at home? Who can answer? Dare we charge the parents in a degree responsible for this state of affairs? Are these things as they would have them? Do you shut up your homes lest the sun should fade your carpets, and your heart lest a laugh should shake down a few of the dusty old cobwebs that are hanging there? If you want to ruin your sons let them think that all social enjoyment must be left at the threshold when they come home. When once a home is regarded as only a suitable place to eat, drink and sleep in, the work is begun that ends in gambling houses and reckless degradation. Better let the fire burn brightly in the winter and the doors be thrown open in summer and make the homestead delightful with all those little arts that parents so well understand. Half an hour of merriment within doors, and merriment of a home blots out the remembrance of many a care and annoyance during the day, and the best safeguard that can be taken with them into the world is the unseen influence of a bright little home sanctum. Let parents ponder over these few suggestions.

A boy goes along the street at night and sees a fine house beautifully lighted up and hears music, and he says, "I wish I was in there, but I have not been invited," and so he passes on. Here is the church of God, lighted up with festivity and holy mirth, and the world passes along outside, hears the music and sometimes wishes it was inside, but says that it is not invited. Oh, invite the world to come in! Go out into the highways and hedges. Send a ticket of invitation printed in these words, "Come, for all things are ready."

There is a vast difference between a house and a home. The house is but the building and furniture, the outward shelter and gathering place of the household. The home includes the kindly family affection, the thoughtful care and ready sympathy and mutual confidence and trust of the members. A true home breathes the atmosphere of love. A child should be made to feel that his home is indeed a home, the happiest place in the world to him, not merely an outward shelter and resting place, but a center of enjoyment of which shall be the safeguard of his life as he goes forth to the world, giving strength and proportion to his character, and turning his thought to all that may prepare for the heavenly home when the scenes of earth shall have passed away.

We often think, when sorrow's heavy mantle is thrown over us, that life is all shadows. Do we ever find it so? Ah no! As the golden rays of heaven's own light shine from behind the clouds after a storm, so does the light of God's countenance shine back of the clouds of sorrow and gives a peaceful soothing, calm to the tired heart. However deep the wound and fierce the conflict, sooner or later we realize that "He knoweth best, and doeth all things well."

Mother, how do you rule? By

Do farmers eat the proper sort of food?

The farmer of today buys a much larger proportion of the food that goes on the table than he did ten years ago. It's a good thing that this is so because he has a great variety to select from. He should, however, use great care in selecting for the best results in health and strength.

The widespread tendency in the city to increase the amount of Quaker Oats eaten is due very largely to the recent demonstrations by scientific men that the Quaker Oats fed man is the man with greatest physical endurance and greatest mental vigor.

Farmers should give this subject careful thought and should increase the quantity of Quaker Oats eaten by themselves, their children and the farm hands.

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love or the much and often unjustly used rod? Is it love to rule so that the child is obedient through fear of you? Be more patient. Give a word of commendation, kindly little smile when your boy does the best he can. He will remember it in after years and, sitting by his own fireside, with his little ones around him, will tell them of his mother, who was ever ready to smile away the clouds and make his little heart swell with gladness.

If there is a mother who reads this column that ever expects to whip her child again, let us ask you something. Have your photograph taken at the time, and let it show your face red with vulgar anger and the face of the little one with eyes swimming in tears and the little child dimpled with fear, looking like a piece of water struck by a sudden cold wind. If that little child should die, we can not think of a sweeter way to spend an autumn afternoon than to take that photograph and go to the cemetery, where the maples are clad in tender gold, and when little scarlet runners are coming like poems of regret, from the sad heart of the earth; and sit down on that mound and look at that photograph, and think of the flesh, now dust, that you beat. Just think of it. We could not bear to die in the arms of a child that we had whipped. We could not bear to feel upon our lips when they were withered beneath the touch of death, the kiss of one that we had struck.

The term "old maid" is fast dying out of use. Instead we hear the more elaborate title "Bachelor Girl" used in speaking of girls who have left the luxuriant bowers of girlhood and are just emerging into womanhood. We do not hear of "the sour old maids," but instead the "dear bachelor girls." The young men are certain that she is just the one to go to when they are in trouble. The girls claim her as their "big sister." Her life is one of beauty, one of devoted consecration to the right. Hope links her to the future and memory to the past.

Says a father of a small family to us, "My boys and girls do not leave the door yard after seven o'clock unless especially detained." We know of others that adopted that same rule years ago and their sons and daughters are today a credit to the town and community. There is nothing elevating in a street education.

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MATTIE.

Mrs. W. M. Moore, who has been sick so long, is slowly improving. Mart Dooley, of Adams, was calling on friends here Sunday.

Kent Akers, of Ellen, was here Sunday.

Leo Berry is on the mend. Arch Castle was visiting at Blaine Sunday.

Floyd Streitenberger, who has been visiting his brother at this place, has returned to his home in Ohio.

Several people of Georges Creek attended church at this place last Sunday.

Miss Nella and Mabel Moore will visit relatives at Blaine the next two weeks.

Miss Lula Justice, who has been attending K. N. C., at Louisa, has returned home.

Miss Nella Moore was visiting Miss Lula Justice Saturday.

A holiness preacher who has been here for one week, is doing a great deal of good.

J. T. Moore, of this place, visited Cordell Saturday to see the educational board.

Jack Castle, who has been sick, is improving.

Milt Allen and family, of Lowmansville, attended church here Sunday.

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PAINTSVILLE NEWS.

COLUMN OF INTERESTING ITEMS GATHERED FROM OUR EXCHANGES.

(Paintsville Herald.)

The latest entry into the water works field is J. W. Dingess, of Huntington, W. Va., who says he is prepared to start work on a plant for Paintsville instantly. He says, however, that the Loch franchise is rather a stumbling block for the time being. We rather think so, ourselves. Mr. Loch has things nailed down until September 1, after which we hope to see and know more of Mr. Dingess. In the meantime that \$50,000 hotel and that chance for natural gas looks pleasing.

Fools and their money easily part. A young man employed by the American Bridge Company in the construction of the Miller's Creek bridge drew \$125 Saturday afternoon and Sunday morning was passing the hat around among his friends for a little lift to get him back to his dear old home in Pittsburgh. The money was won by Pittsburghers and off a Pittsburgher, consequently the grand jury is without jurisdiction.

Uncle Ham Whitten, a pioneer of Johnson county, who is now rounding out his 86th year, left last week for the state of Michigan, where he goes to make his home with his son, Frank Whitten, who left here ten years ago and has made good in that State. Uncle Ham is a remarkable man in many respects. Age does not seem to have made many inroads on him for he is as spry as a boy in his teens and his mind is as bright as ever. He served as a soldier on the Union side throughout the Civil War and at the close of the conflict returned to Johnson county and was sent to the Kentucky Legislature, where he served with credit to himself and his constituency. He was always a hard worker and growing tired of the slow, and to him, lazy procedure of the Legislature, when not attending a session he would break rock for a pastime. He kept this up until the Legislature adjourned. He was a man of fine sense and the lack of education was what kept him from becoming one of the great statesmen of Kentucky.

Out of a possible \$150,000 spent on street improvements in Paintsville, it became necessary to issue only \$5,000 worth of bonds, the bond issue being due to the fact that Dr. Bayes, J. F. Bailey and a few others refused to pay their proportionate part of the paving because of the added cost by reason of the construction of the big sanitary sewer through Church street to the creek. The first installment on the bonds are over due and the council has employed George B. Martin, of Catlettsburg, an attorney to bring suit in Circuit Court to enforce the collection of the bonds, the same being liens against the property of those not paying. The case will be hotly contested. The Dunn Construction Company, who constructed the paving and the sewer, hold the bonds. The suit will be for the full amount of the bonds, as failure to pay the yearly proportionate part of the bonds makes the entire amount due by operation of law. There is also pending in Circuit Court a suit by Dr. Bayes against the town in which he seeks to restrain the collection of money for the Court street paving, but it is not now known that he will go further with that case. At any rate that case does not affect the suit that is to be filed as the Court street paving was done under a different contract and by a different contractor.

Salyersville News.

In the litigation of Jack Salyer, against his two sons over a timber deal to the amount of about \$2,500 the parties are now in town taking depositions. The case grew out of a trade Mr. Salyer had made with his two sons for a large boundary of yellow poplar and oak timber. Mr. Salyer claiming that the deed was procured by fraud.

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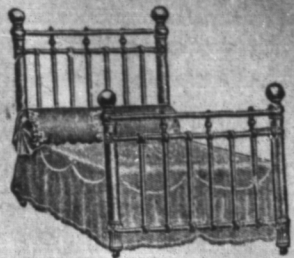
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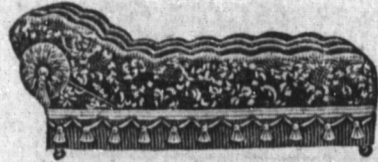
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Sherman Power left on the 1st for Wenatchee, Wash. Many others will leave on the 15th, among whom will be John A. Adams and family, and H. W. Patrick and family.

Blaine Howard, aged 14, son of Lewis Howard, of Bonanza, Floyd county, died on the 3rd at Prestonsburg, where he was attending school of typhoid fever. He was a grandson of Andrew Howard, of this county. His remains will be brought back and interred in the family burying ground at Andrew Howard's.

A mutual agreement was reached in the litigation of the case of Levi Morefield against Miss Mary B. Arnett, both of Sublett, Ky. Morefield charged Miss Arnett of fraudulently obtaining a check from him for \$300. The matter was settled by defendant refunding \$200 of the money. Byrd & Howard for plaintiff and Aug. Arnett for defendant.

The corps of railroad engineers who have been surveying from the Virginia line down Licking river, have taken up temporary offices at the Prater House, where they are preparing their profiles, etc. One corps are in the field surveying the line running up the State Road fork.

There is every evidence that this road will be completed as this is the second survey made on the route within the last twelve months and final grades and estimates of cost of construction is being made, preparatory to letting the contract for the work of construction. From inside information and assurance, it can be safely predicted that within the next 24 months the shrill whistle of the locomotive will be heard throughout the headwaters of the Licking valley. No section has more advantages to offer than does the Licking valley, and it only needs the building of a railroad to develop its mineral, timber and farming resources.

J. Frank Atkinson, ex-County Judge, left on the 4th for Paintsville, where he will make his permanent home with his mother, Mrs. Mary H. Atkinson. The people of the town and county regret very much having lost one of her noble sons.

Three Go To The Pen.

The Johnson Circuit Court is aiding in the work of increasing the population of the Frankfort penitentiary. Lewis Salyer, who a few months ago took Ed Burgess' horses and rode them through to Lawrence county, where he was apprehended and brought back, was given two years in the pen as a reminder of the commandment "Thou shalt not steal." By the time he gets back home he will have learned the lesson well.

Harry Blanton, 14 years old, was let off at one year in the Reform School at Lexington. If he escapes from Uncle Sam he is doing well for his first offense.

Ransom Clark attached Andy Tackett's name to a \$37.50 check and was given one year, the hope being this would stop him using other peoples' names in obtaining money.

Charles Fyffe, evidently a Methodist, because he likes chicken meat, was given one year for plucking his neighbor's chickens off the hen roost and converting them to his own use. By the time he gets back the crow of a rooster will make him heart sick.

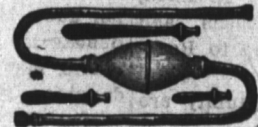
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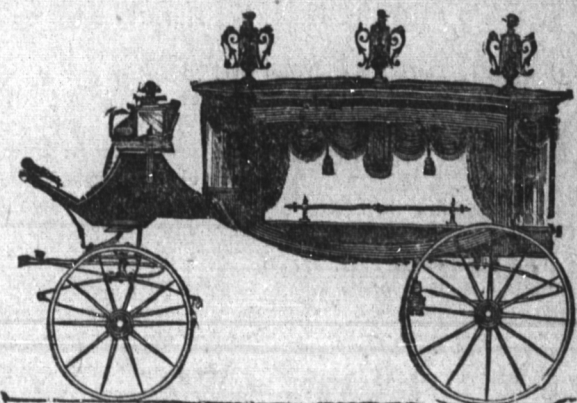
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HUBBARDSTOWN.

Rev. Lewis Peters preached a fine sermon at Little Hurricane Saturday night and Sunday.

Rev. Billie Artrip preached at Hubbardstown Sunday morning and night.

J. E. Merideth, Bill Rickman, Babe Skeens, Harve Skeens and Nabe Noris have gone up to Rockcastle to raft ties.

The sick of this community are all better.

Jim B. Buskirk is clerking for J. E. Merideth this week.

Ed Johnson is visiting his sister, Mrs. Clara Stewart, of Kentucky.

Mrs. Belle Skeens and little son were visiting her father, J. E. Merideth, Sunday.

Ben Bellomy and family were visiting his parents Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McComas attended church at Hubbardstown last Sunday.

Rev. Rube Curnutte will preach at Little Hurricane the fourth Saturday night and Sunday in March at 10:30 o'clock.

Lafayette Lett has gone to Portsmouth for work.

Miss Leah Davis, of Davis Branch, is visiting Miss Elsie Biggs.

H. W. Lett and C. E. Lett are working at Neal on the extraforce.

Mrs. H. W. Lett and little son are visiting her parents, Rev. A. J. Soard, of Louisa.

Babe Howard is visiting friends at Louisa.

Bask Crank, of Buchanan, was calling on friends at Merideth last Sunday.

Mrs. Bob Mead and little son, of Hubbardstown, were visiting her brother, Lonzo Bellomy, recently.

Mrs. Hannah Ellis is visiting her

daughter, Mrs. Pearl Merideth.

A little boy came to the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Fortner and will remain without paying board.

Miss Alta Barnett, of Catlettsburg, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Merideth, Sr., of Hubbardstown.

Mrs. Harve Merideth is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Mary A. Johnson, on Sunday last.

Mrs. Mary Howard is visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Fortner.

Miss Dixie Merideth and Mollie Ellis were calling on friends Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Skeens was visiting Mrs. Robert Mead last week.

Mrs. Alice Pack was visiting Mrs. Mary A. Johnson Saturday.

John D. and Pearl Merideth returned to Ashville, Ohio, Sunday.

Miss Dolly Vanhose was shopping at J. E. Merideth's today.

Mrs. Birdie Vanhose and Mrs. James Billups were visiting friends Sunday. Black Eyed Chums.

BORDERLAND, W. VA.

Dr. Tipton met with a painful accident, if not a serious one, Thursday night. While coming to see a Mr. Melvin, who was thought to have a broken leg, the doctor fell from the top of the foot bridge which hangs across the river and broke his thigh, and was bruised up otherwise pretty badly. Mr. Melvin had fallen through the steps of the bridge, just cracking the bone. Drs. Stepp and Rice attended their injuries.

Mr. Romans, who has been in poor health for several years, has gone to Hot Springs, Ark. His wife and son, Claud, accompanied him a part of the way.

Miss Erie Judd, who has been staying with Mrs. Mont Williamson

for a few months, returned home Sunday.

Misses Minnie Justice and Lassie Deskins were visiting Miss Lora Black Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John McGrannahan were visiting their daughter, Mrs. A. F. Talbert, of Warfield, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Justice were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Woods Justice Sunday.

This is a lively place, plenty of work; but if a man don't like to work he had better stay away from Borderland.

Steve Hensley moved back to Griffith Creek this week.

Wm. Lambert and Clarence Evans made a trip to Williamson Sunday.

Among the things we dearly love is the Big Sandy News. Especially do we love the Home Circle Column. May it live long and prosper is the wish of

TRACE BRANCH.

The sick of our community are all improving.

Miss Emma Shannon is visiting her sister, Mrs. Mart Isaac.

Mrs. Mollie and Sallie Shannon were calling on Mrs. Laura Shannon Sunday evening.

Harve Shannon, who was so badly hurt in the Torchlight mines, is slowly improving.

Mrs. W. M. Cartmel was called to Roanoke, Va., by the serious illness of her little grandson, Ohlen Cartmel.

Born, to Harve Shannon and wife, a girl. Also to James Shannon and wife, a girl.

Jeff Shannon was visiting friends at Pine Knob Sunday.

Kise brothers are doing a good business with their saw mill on Trace Branch.

Mrs. Mary Little has returned home after a two weeks' visit with her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Shannon.

H. C. Castle and Payton Blackburn have the contract to build the county road from H. J. Shannon's to G. V. Patrick's.

Bob Miller was a visitor at Harry Shannon's Sunday.

Hez. Miller and Miss Julia Anne Thompson were married Saturday at the home of the bride. We wish them a long and happy life.

Sherd Shannon and wife were visiting the latter's parents Sunday.

Mrs. Tom Fraley passed here en route to Mead's Branch to visit her parents, Rev. and Mrs. A. H. Miller.

Miss Mariah Cox visited her cousin, Miss Emma Shannon, Saturday and Sunday. Blue Bell.

A professor in the Chicago University is experimenting with the tails of cats, hoping thereby to make the animal less of a nuisance, says an exchange.

In the opinion of those who are compelled to listen to the nocturnal music of Thomas and Tabitha the professor has begun at the wrong end.

FOR SALE.

White Wyandotte Eggs. 15 for \$1.50. MRS. J. J. FAGG.

KENTUCKY NEIGHBORS.

The well of the Wayne Oil Company on Rubens Branch was brought in last week a duster. The well was drilled through all the sands with never a showing in any of them.—Wayne News.

On Wednesday evening of last week at 8 o'clock W. D. Blair's residence, on College street, Prestonsburg, burned to the ground. Insurance covered the loss by fire, and several pieces of furniture were saved from the flames.

While carrying a gas pipe Wesley Braden, of Greenup, slipped on the ice, and in falling the gas pipe, weighing 110 pounds, struck him on the head crushing his skull. He was carried to his home unconscious and was that way until he breathed his last.

Leander Risner, who was convicted in the Johnson Circuit Court at its November term, 1903, for the killing of Warren Arnett, in Magoffin county and sentenced to the penitentiary for six years, was at the last meeting of the Board of Prison Commissioners paroled and is now at home.

The contest for the office of Sheriff brought by John J. Pace against Robert Reed, was decided by Judge Gardner, Tuesday, February 22nd. Judge Gardner decided that Reed was the duly elected Sheriff, and gave judgment against Pace for the costs of the action. Robert Reed was one of the three Democrats elected to county office at the last November election, his majority being 146.

Additional grounds have been purchased by the W. C. T. U. people at Hindman upon which to rebuild their settlement school building, recently destroyed by fire. Besides the main school building a girls' dormitory and an industrial hall will be erected. In all the promoters expect to expend \$40,000 in rebuilding the school. The school is under the supervision of the Misses Pettit.

Hon. W. M. Slem, of Big Stone Gap, Va., and brother of Congressman C. B. Slem, of Virginia, was united in marriage to Miss Octave Smith Hatcher, of Harold, Floyd county, Tuesday of last week. The bride is a daughter of Mrs. Nancy Hatcher and is connected with some of the best families in the Big Sandy valley. Mr. Slem is interested in coal development in Floyd county and is quite wealthy.

Bob Hampton, the boy who was arrested at Van Lear last week and taken to Williamson, W. Va., by deputy sheriff Casebolt, under the belief that he was Will Edwards, wanted there for the murder of a railroad, was released and returned home, the officers soon being convinced that Hampton was not the party wanted. It is claimed that Hampton will institute suit for false arrest.

A sad and sorrowful catastrophe took place at Olive Hill last week when Sally Marshall, the wife of Rufus Marshall, who lives just west of that place, was burned to death together with house and all its contents. Mr. Marshall was away from home at the time and his wife, who was at home with their two children, aged four and two years, were at breakfast when the wife and mother had her dress to become ignited. She got into the bed to smother out the flames and was entirely burnt up in the house. The sorrowing husband with his two children have our sympathy.

The first day of the Floyd Circuit Court will long be remembered in the annals of criminal history of Floyd county by whisky sellers, pistol toters and gamblers. The vigorous presentation of the law by our Commonwealth's Attorney W. H. May, assisted by W. Lee Roberts, County Attorney, and its no less vigorous application at the hands of the jury had the desired effect of waiving up these law breakers to a realization that the people of Floyd county are tired and disgusted with them. We hope that this good work will continue; that no quarter or compromise will be offered to crime in any measure.—Herald.

The family of Joseph Fields, of Portsmouth, is in a critical condition on account of the measles. Mrs. Fields and five children are all down with the disease. The youngest child, little Nora, aged two, died Monday from a complication of the measles and pneumonia. The five remaining children, Floyd 19, Lulu 15, Nannie 13, Julia 11, Ruby 8 and the mother are all still quite ill, leaving a heavy burden of care upon

the father. The family are strangers in the city, having come here recently from Lawrence county, Ky. They left one married daughter, Mrs. Lillie Yates, in Kentucky. The father and son have employment at the N. & W. shops. Alone the father went to accompany the remains of the little one for burial at their old home place in Kentucky.—Portsmouth Blade.

A dastardly act was committed Friday midnight, out near Summitt station, Boyd county, and which might easily have resulted in the death or serious injury of one or more passengers on Lexington division train No. 24, which arrives at Ashland at 12:30 a. m. As the train passed Summitt two goodly sized rocks were thrown at the train—supposedly by two different persons, as they struck practically simultaneously—one striking a window of the smoker, and the other a window in the first day coach. The rocks which fell inside the cars are in possession of Capt. E. M. Hughes, the conductor of No. 24.

J. Verne Rice, of Paintsville, who was sitting in the smoker, had a close call, as one of the rocks struck his window, shattering the glass into fragments, and probably the only thing that kept him from being killed or badly hurt was the fact that he had previously pulled down the wooden shutter. The rock that entered a window of the first day coach passed perilously near the heads of several ladies, and they were covered with broken glass and given a bad scare.

A "Neat Egg" party was given by the Ladies Aid Society at the palatial home of Mrs. W. S. Harkins, on Second street, Saturday evening, the proceeds of which will be devoted to the purchase of a new organ for the Methodist Church. Quite a handsome amount was contributed by those present, and the purchase of the new organ is now assured. Proceeds amounted to \$75.—Prestonsburg Herald.

Upon the recommendation of Congressman J. B. Bennett, a postoffice has been established to be known as Chinnville, Greenup county, Ky., and Mrs. Mollie Schroepe appointed postmistress.

Jacob Cochran, postmaster at Wurtland, Ky., which is located a few miles below Russell and one of the best known men in Greenup county, dropped dead in the post-office Wednesday afternoon, his death being due to heart failure.

"Aunt" Chrissie Stallard, who lives near Mayking, in Letcher county, celebrated her century birthday with a dinner.

Following are few of the cases in the Court of Appeals:

Wagner, etc., vs. Hatcher, Pike; affirmed.

Collinsworth vs. Bevens, by, etc., Pike; affirmed.

Gayheart vs. Childers, etc., Knott; affirmed.

CADMUS.

Little Henry Marcum has bought a small farm on lower Twin Branch of Leonard Goins, and will move there in the near future and Goins is moving to Morgan's Creek.

Bascom Brumfield is very low with consumption.

J. C. Hibbitts has returned home after being gone for nearly twelve months.

J. W. Towler has the western fever and his case is so bad that no Kentucky physician can do him any good.

Quite a number of the Green Valley people attended the meeting held at Uncle Wm. Brumfield's last Sunday evening.

Conrad Short, of Catlettsburg, was visiting at Cadmus last week.

Mrs. Lanthia Goins and Laura Diamond, of Yatesville, were visiting Mrs. Nancy Harman last week.

Jeff Collinsworth is attending Circuit Court at Prestonsburg.

John Boland, of Whites Creek, Boyd county, attended the stock sale on Catt Saturday.

May and Lula Foster attended meeting at Green Valley Sunday.

The revival meeting held at Morgan's Creek closed Sunday with good results.

Jacob Arrington, of Williamson, W. Va., is visiting his daughter at Green Valley.

Hilory Adams, of Cadmus, contemplates moving to the coal fields in West Virginia this spring.

If the fathers and mothers of our country would attend church like their children do, we could have a large congregation of old people every Sunday.

Floyd Neal is working for Rev. V. D. Harman this spring. Spunk.

The Colson bill, providing for advance payments of school teachers, and requiring the superintendents to sign a certified statement of the time due them, was passed, 66 to 6. It carries an emergency clause.

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MRS. JOHN HOPP, Webster Ave., Glendale, L. I., N. Y., writes: "I have been suffering for the past ten years with many symptoms incident to my age, also catarrh and indigestion. I was weak and discouraged, had no ambition, could not sleep at night, and lost greatly in weight. "I tried other remedies, but with no success, until I commenced to take Peruna. I now feel better in every respect, can sleep well, and have gained in weight. I cannot praise Peruna highly enough for the good it has done me.

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SMOKY VALLEY.

Meeting at this place the third Sunday by Rev. Litteral.

John Nelson was a business visitor at Louisa Tuesday.

Allen Hutchinson and Mui Bradley were calling at Matthew Lemasters Monday.

Sunday School is progressing nicely with J. A. Hutchinson Supt. Drew Adams and Sherman Evans passed through here Monday en route to Louisa.

Harrison Roberts was calling at John Burchett's Saturday.

Byron Muncy, of Williamson, was calling on relatives and friends at this place recently.

Eva Lemaster and Martha Roberts were visiting at Madge Tuesday.

R. B. Hutchinson, Will and Milton Wellman were calling on friends at this place Sunday.

Mrs. George Diamond was the guest of home folks recently.

Florence McKee was the guest of Valley friends recently.

Anna, Minnie and Ola Lemaster were guests of Madge Friends last Saturday. Bina Nancy.

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